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REPORT

OF THE

IRISH LAND COMMISSIONERS

FOR

THE PERIOD FROM THE 22nd OF AUGUST, 1891, TO THE 31st OF
MARCH, 1893

TO HIS EXCELLENCY ROBERT OFFLEY ASHBURTON
BARON HOUGHTON,

LORD LIEUTENANT-GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

We, the Irish Land Commissioners, beg to submit to your Excellency this Report of our proceedings during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March, 1893.

Since the date of our last Report for the year ending the 22nd of August, 1891, the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, which received the Royal Assent on the 5th August, 1891, has come into full operation.

Before proceeding to report to your Excellency in detail with regard to the administration of the various duties entrusted to us, we consider it advisable in the first instance to refer briefly to the important changes which have resulted from the Statute referred to, and from other enactments which received the Royal Assent in the same Session of Parliament.

One of the principal objects of the Purchase of Land Act of 1891, was to supply the Land Commission with further funds for advances to tenants to enable them to purchase their holdings. This had become necessary if the operation of the Land Purchase Acts was to be continued, as the Grants of ten millions made under the Purchase of Land Act, 1885, and the Extending Act of 1888, had, in the period between 1885, when the first Grant of five millions was made, and the passing of the Statute in question, been practically absorbed by applications already received. The new Act continues and extends the policy of the Land Purchase Acts, by enabling the Land Commission to make advances to tenants in Guaranteed Land Stock equivalent in nominal amount to the advance. The Stock is issued to the Vendor, through the Bank of Ireland, and carries interest at the rate of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, payable half-yearly, and is irredeemable for thirty-years from August, 1891. The limit for advances in any County is fixed by the Act at twenty-five times the share of that County in the Guarantee Fund created by the Act. It was estimated that for the whole of Ireland about thirty millions could thus be advanced. Appended will be found a copy of the Parliamentary paper (Returns 260, H. of C., Session 1891) issued when the Act was before the House of Commons, to show the amount estimated to be available for Purchase transactions in each County.

By arrangements which have been made by the Treasury, since this Act passed, holders of Guaranteed Land Stock may exchange that Stock for an equal nominal amount of Consols. Exchanges can be effected by the holder of Land Stock with the National Debt Commissioners through the Banks of England or of Ireland, subject to adjustment of dividend due at the time of the exchange. Having regard to this arrangement, Guaranteed Land Stock is at least as valuable as Consols.

A copy of the Treasury Minute on this subject, dated the 25th July, 1892, is appended.

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Treasury
Minute.

Purchase of
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Terms of re-
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advances,
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The advances made to tenants who purchase are, as under the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1885, to be repaid by annuities, to run for forty-nine years, but while under the former Act the annuity payable is four per cent. on the advance during the whole period mentioned, under the recent Act the annuity will only remain constant during the whole term when the advance is equivalent to, or exceeds twenty times the annual value of the holding, or when the advance does not exceed three-fourths of the purchase money. If the advance exceeds three-fourths of the purchase money, or is less than twenty times the annual value, the annuity, for at least five years, must be eighty per cent. of such annual value, and then, on application by the purchaser, that annuity may be reduced to an annuity of four per cent. on the advance; and, again, after eighteen years, it may be further reduced to such an annuity as will pay off the balance of the advance then outstanding, after crediting the higher payments made during the earlier years.

Annual
Value, Sec-
tion 41.

The 42nd Section of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, defines "Annual Value of the Holding," to mean the rent of the holding at the date of the application or agreement, less the average annual amount payable by the landlord during the five years next before the date of the agreement for county cess and poor rate.

If the purchaser—whether the case be one under the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, or under the Redemption of Rent Act—considers this net rent too high, and that eighty per cent. for the first five years thereof would represent an annuity in excess of what the holding is able to bear, he can apply to us on a simple form (which we send with the letter which informs him that his application for an advance has been sanctioned) to fix the annual value. If he so applies, and if we find his representation is correct and reduce the "annual value," the amount payable by him for the first mentioned period is reduced in proportion.

Purchaser's
insurance
money.

The object of requiring the higher payments (viz., eighty per cent. of the annual value) referred to during the first five years, is to provide "the purchaser's insurance money," to be drawn upon for the benefit of the purchaser in years of calamity or agricultural distress.

If the insurance fund is not resorted to for such purposes for the benefit of the individual purchaser who provides it, in manner stated, it will ultimately be utilised for his benefit, in whichever way he may select, either by reducing his annuity, or by shortening the period during which such annuity is to be payable.

Land
Purchase
Account,
Section 4.

The annuities, as received, are carried to an account called the "Land Purchase Account," and thereout the Commissioners, on the last week day before the 1st of January and 1st of July, respectively, provide the Bank of Ireland or England, as the case may be, with a sufficient sum for payment by the Banks named of the dividends to become due on the days mentioned, on the Stock outstanding at the time.

In respect of every £100 stock issued, four per cent. of the annuity payable by the tenant purchaser is applied as to £2 15s. 0d. thereof to pay dividend, £1 thereof is transmitted by us on the 15th of August and 15th of February to the National Debt Commissioners, to be appropriated by them to create a sinking fund for the ultimate redemption of the stock, and 5s. out of every such £4 entitled "The County Percentage," if not required for meeting deficiencies in the Land Purchase Account, is paid from the guarantee fund to the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account, and is applicable for providing cottages with plots and gardens, under the Labourers Acts. Any balance of the annuity above four per cent. paid is, as before explained, the "Purchaser's Insurance Money," and is transmitted to the National Debt Commissioners, to be accumulated by them at compound interest, for the benefit of the purchasing tenant.

The Treasury Rules prescribed by the Act and dated 26th February, 1892, are appended.

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If a purchaser can pay down one-fourth of the purchase money, his annuity in respect of the three-fourths advanced will be calculated at £3 17s. 6d. instead of four per cent. He will not be required to provide "Insurance Money," and in such cases the County Percentage is reduced to half-a-crown.

Guaranteed
Land Stock,
secured on
Consolidated
Fund.

The holders of Guaranteed Land Stock are secured by the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom, both as regards the punctual payment of the dividends on the Stock they hold, and also that the Stock will ultimately be redeemed at par.

The Consolidated Fund is in its turn secured by the "Guarantee Fund," established by the Statute in respect of any advances made thereout, to make good temporary deficiencies in the Land Purchase Account, if at any time we do not receive sufficient annuities from the purchasers to enable us to pay the dividends or the Sinking Fund in respect of the Stock.

Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891.—on. REVENUE TABLE NO.

Guarantees Fund, Section 5. Section 6.

Pursuant to the Treasury Rules already referred to, arrangements have been made for the accounts to be kept in connection with the Guarantee Fund. That Fund is under the direction and control of the Treasury, and provision has been made that any advances out of the Consolidated Fund shall as soon as possible be repaid out of the Guarantee Fund. It is not necessary to refer in more particular detail to this subject, as the administration of this part of the Act does not lie with us, save to point out that any losses occasioned by the non-payment of annuities in a county may fall upon funds otherwise applicable for local purposes in that county, subject, however, to recoupment by a levy under the direction of the Lord Lieutenant upon the counties at large in which the default occurs.

We have issued a special memorandum for the information and guidance of intending tenant purchasers, explaining the steps necessary to obtain advances for the purchase of their holdings, and containing other general information for their assistance.

As we found general misconception existed as to the nature and object for which the purchasers' insurance money was required, we included in the memorandum referred to example tables to illustrate—1st, the application of the tenant's insurance money in finally reducing the annuity below an annuity of 4 per cent. on the advance; or 2nd, if a tenant purchaser, voluntarily, continues to pay an annuity equivalent to 20 per cent. less than his former net rent, by what number of years he could thereby shorten the term of 49 years allotted in ordinary cases for the payment of the annuity. These tables assume that the tenant's insurance money will be accumulated at compound interest at £2 15s. per cent., and on rates of purchase varying from 12 years to 18 years purchase of the net rent. When the advance is equivalent to or exceeds 20 times the annual value, the annuity is constant for 49 years at 4 per cent. The illustrative tables referred to are appended. We understand that this memorandum has been found of considerable assistance in explaining the complicated and difficult provisions of the statute, particularly in respect to the calculations to which we refer, and which were prepared in our department, but have not received Treasury sanction. We considered that the necessity for issuing some such illustrative tables was urgent in the absence of the "Prescribed Tables," which have still to be issued by the Treasury, pursuant to the provisions of the 8th Section of the Act.

The Statute declares the Land Commission to be perpetual; and pursuant to the provisions of the 28th Section thereof, the Lord Lieutenant and the Treasury have organised the staff of the Land Commission upon a permanent basis, and selected such of the Assistant Commissioners and officers as were found to be necessary and best qualified to become permanent members of the Land Commission.

It is a matter of gratification to us that the recommendations which we have made on several occasions in former years, that our officers should be placed in this position, have thus been seconded to, and that their claims in respect of past years of service have been recognised.

The Act also provided for the equalisation of our powers and duties on the final disposal of all Fair Rent Appeals lodged on or before the 1st of June, 1891. These Appeals were disposed of on the 6th day of March last, when we made arrangements for the distribution between ourselves of the several duties entrusted to us under the various Statutes which we administer.

Power is given by the Act to any person aggrieved by the decision of any Commissioner acting alone in a Purchase case, to appeal to the Judicial Commissioner and two Commissioners, and to the Judicial Commissioner sitting alone, when the appeal is on a question of Law only.

Our Annual Report will in future be brought up to the 31st March, so as to include all statistics to the end of the financial year.

Arrangements have been made with the Treasury for the presentation, as soon as possible after the close of the date mentioned, of the prescribed periodical returns with regard to transactions under the Purchase Act of 1891, giving full particulars as regards every holding in respect of which advances have been made under the Act; and the returns will be published for the same period showing the amounts in each county carried to the common fund pursuant to the 11th Section of the Statute.

Concurrently with the passing of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, an Act was passed for the Redemption of Rent by long leaseholders and others who are in bona-fide occupation of their holdings at a full agricultural rent. If the landlord, on being served with notice of the application, consents to the redemption, power is given to us to order the redemption, fix the price, and to sanction the advance of a sum of Guaranteed Land Stock in payment of the whole or part of the redemption price. If the landlord does not so consent, the case is dealt with as an application

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Redemption of Rent (Ireland), Act, 1891. to fix a judicial rent as provided by Section 1 of the Act of 1887. The Statute referred to has considerably added to our duties and responsibilities, both as regards the judicial and administrative functions imposed on us thereby.

Local Registration of Title (Ireland), Act, 1891. The Local Registration of Title Act, constituting a central and local offices for registration of titles, which came into operation on the 1st January, 1892, will, we trust, ultimately have an important and beneficial effect on the large number of small owners who from time to time have purchased their holdings under the Land Purchase Acts. The 22nd, 23rd, and subsequent sections thereof, impose upon us certain duties to which we shall now refer.

Section 14, Land Purchase Acts of 1882. The Legislature in 1882, recognised the desirability of providing for local registration of the titles of Tenant purchasers, by requiring that we should transmit copies of all Vesting Orders and Conveyances executed by us under the Act passed in that year to the Clerk of the Peace of the county in which the land is situate for the purposes of Local Registration; but as no machinery for registration was provided, the Clerks of the Peace were unable to give effect to the provision referred to.

Compulsory Registration of Title. The Local Registration of Title Act of 1891 has remedied this want, and provided for the compulsory registration of the titles of all purchasers, whether past or future, under the "Land Purchase Acts," viz.—The Irish Church Act, 1869; the Landlord and Tenant (Ireland) Act, 1870; the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881; the Land Purchase Acts, 1885 and 1888, and the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891.

Where the sales took place before the 1st January, 1892, and where the holdings are still subject to the annuities or charge in respect of the State advance, as has been pointed out by Mr. Justice Madden, who was mainly instrumental in carrying the Act through Parliament, in a Pamphlet published by him on the subject:—

Compulsion, how exercised. "Compulsion is exercised in two ways—(a) directly by the action of the Land Commission; (b) indirectly by attaching certain disabilities to the owners of unregistered land so long as they neglect to put it on the register.

"(a.) Where a tenant who has already purchased his holding fails to register his land, and the Land Commission have, by notice, required him so to do, they are empowered themselves to take the necessary steps in order to have the registration effected. In the case of sales made after the commencement of the Act, it is the duty of the Land Commissioners or the Land Judge, as the case may be, to have the tenant purchaser duly registered as the owner of the land." (Section 23.)

Number of past Tenant Purchasers possibly affected by Act. In round numbers, about 24,000 tenants had purchased their holdings prior to the 1st of January, 1892, under the several Land Purchase Acts referred to.

Action of Land Commissioners in cases where Registration is Compulsory. We took the earliest opportunity after the passing of the Act to issue a circular to these Purchasers informing them of the requirements of the Statute, with regard to the compulsory registration of their titles. In reply to this circular we received from them innumerable complaints and remonstrances to the effect, that it would impose an inequitable burden upon them to require them compulsorily to incur any expenses either in paying costs to solicitors to act for them in registering their titles or in paying any outlay to be incurred in the matter.

Having regard to the fact that the Act required us to register the titles of all those who should purchase after the 1st January, 1892, without any expense to them, and also imposed an obligation upon us to ensure the registration of the title dealt with in "past sales," we considered that for the protection of the State in respect of the advances already made, and for the recovery of the annuities payable in respect of the same, it was our duty to urge upon the Treasury the necessity of providing us with means for carrying into effect the provisions of the Statute without expense to the owners in cases where we deem it necessary to "make the application to have the ownership of the land registered under this Act."

Correspondence with Treasury. Subject to certain limitations the Treasury have acceded to our representations in this matter, and have, in pursuance of the provisions of the Revenue Act, 1889, directed that the fees leviable in the different public offices where duties necessarily connected with the examination of titles prior to registration must be remitted, shall be remitted in all cases when the Land Commissioners are the applicants. The Treasury has also provided us with some additional staff to assist in the performance of the duties imposed by the Statute referred to, and also for furnishing copies of the maps used in connection with the sales of holdings to the Registrar of Titles, to enable him to comply with the provisions of the Statute for the definition of the boundaries of registered lands on the Ordnance Maps to be kept in the Registry Office. Initiatory steps have already been taken by us in over 7,000 of these cases to register the titles of the past purchasers.

With regard to cases where the sales are made after the commencement of the Act, pursuant to the terms of the Statute and the Rules thereunder, we are required, in order that purchasers may be registered "forthwith" to transmit to the Registering Authority copies of the Vesting Orders or Conveyances executed.

Considerable, though unavoidable delay, took place after the passing of the Act in making the necessary arrangements with the Registrar of Title and other public departments to carry the Statute into effect, both as regards the registration of titles arising from sales completed prior and subsequently to the commencement of the Act, and before these arrangements were completed, nearly 3,000 Vesting Orders executed after the 1st January, 1892, had accumulated.

In only 550 of these cases have Titles been registered, and 2,591 cases now await registration.

Since the 1st of January last the Registrar of Titles has been able to receive and deal with current cases, from day to day, as the vesting orders have been sealed and sent to him; but under present arrangements, we fear a considerable period must elapse before the cases which accumulated under the circumstances already stated can be registered.

We have received numerous complaints from the tenant purchasers of the delay referred to, some of whom, owing to the non-registration of their titles "forthwith" as provided by the statute, have been precluded from obtaining loans from the Commissioners of Public Works for improvements. Until the Land Certificate is issued, they have no evidence of their titles as purchasers.

This block is the more to be regretted, as until it is cleared off, we understand that the registration of cases where the sales took place prior to the 1st of January, 1892, where we are the applicants, cannot be proceeded with. The delay may cause legal difficulty and embarrassment as the 23rd section of the Statute provides, that—

The following provision shall apply to all freehold land the registration of which is by this Act declared to be compulsory.

A person shall not, under any conveyance executed on or after the commencement of this Act, acquire any estate in any such land until he is registered as owner of the land, but on being so registered, his title shall relate back to the date of the execution of the conveyance, and any dealing with the land before the registration shall have effect accordingly.

As before stated, there are many thousand cases awaiting registration, and we constantly now receive deeds to be noted in our books, purporting to convey to purchasers and others holdings acquired under the Land Purchase Act. These deeds on execution are, in many cases, registered in the Registry of Deeds Office under the old system. Useless expense is thereby incurred to the parties concerned. If the titles were registered, the transfers, in most instances, should be carried out in the inexpensive and simple form prescribed by the Local Registration of Title Act, and the land is by express provision, in future, exempt from registration in the Registry of Deeds Office, and from the consequent expense thereof.

JUDICIAL RENTS.

In August, 1891, the Staff for the working of the Sub-Commissions, which during the year prior to that date, had consisted of eight legal and sixty-four Lay Assistant Commissioners, was reduced to four legal and twenty-four Lay Assistant Commissioners. This smaller number was engaged during the period under review in disposing of applications to fix judicial rents delegated to them by us. Each Legal Assistant Commissioner had six Laymen associated with him. The Laymen, working in pairs, sat with the Chairman successively in Court to hear the applications and the evidence of the parties, and then the Chairman having left them, to sit with another pair, the farms were inspected by the Lay Assistant Commissioners, by whom the evidence respecting them was heard in each case.

The number of fair-rent notices disposed of by the Sub-Commissions during the period stated, was 8,010. Of this number, 6,066 were cases of applications by yearly tenants, and 1,944 were applications by leaseholders.

The entire number of fair-rent notices disposed of, from the date of our last Report up to the 31st March, 1893, was as follows:—

By the Commissioners as Courts of first instance, principally on consent,	630	L. L.
By the Sub-Commission,	8,010	
By the Civil Bill Courts,	1,189	
Total,	9,839	

The entire number disposed of by both Land Commission and Civil Bill Courts from the date of the passing of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, to the 31st March, 1893, was 226,055.

Registration where Sales completed after 1st Jan., 1892.
Delay in arrangements respecting same.

Accumulation of arrears.

Where registration of ownership is compulsory no title acquired by transfer until Registered—Section 25.

Altered procedure not conformed to.

Fair rent applications disposed of.

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APPENDIX TABLE No. 22.	Number of cases undisposed of.	The number of Fair Rent Notices awaiting hearing by the Land Commission on the 22nd August, 1891, was 3,780, and by the Civil Bill Courts, 4,461.
II. 22.		The numbers similarly awaiting hearing on the 31st March, 1893, were:—
		By the Land Commission, : : : : : 6,102 By the Civil Bill Courts, : : : : : 5,378
II. 22.		Of the 6,102 applications so awaiting hearing by the Land Commission, 4,962 were received since the 22nd August, 1891, and of the 5,378 cases pending in the Civil Bill Court, 2,755 applications were received during the same period.
I. 7.	Rents fixed on Valuers reports.	Judicial Rents have been settled during the year by us on the report of Court Valuers in 46 cases, and originating declarations and agreements have been lodged under the provisions of the 8th Section of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, in 3,665 cases, of which 3,557 were lodged in the Land Commission, and 99 were lodged with the Clerks of the Peace of the Civil Bill Courts. 7 judicial leases were executed, and 2 fixed tenancies were created, making altogether 3,665 cases which were settled during the period under review without litigation.
XVII.	Agree- ments.	The total number of originating declarations and agreements to fix fair rents lodged, since the passing of the Act of 1881, up to the 31st March, 1893, was 120,429.
XLV.	Judicial Leases, and Fixed Tenancies.	The total number of rents fixed by us on the reports of Court Valuers during the same period was 1,852.
XLVII.	Arbitration not availed of.	The total number of judicial leases executed has been 128, and the number of fixed tenancies sanctioned was 30.
XLVIII.		It is a noticeable fact that while in the twelve years which have almost elapsed since the Act of 1881 became law, in 121,949 cases Judicial Rents have been fixed by agreement between the parties or by us on the reports of our Assistant Commissioners acting as Valuers, and in 226,055 cases applications to fix Judicial Rents have been disposed of by the Land Commission and the Civil Bill Courts, in 37 cases only have the powers conferred by the 40th Section of the Land Law (Ireland) Act of 1881 been availed of by the parties to nominate arbitrators themselves to fix the amount of the Judicial Rents by arbitration.
XLIX.	Lease- holders.	We observe that during the last four years the parties have not moved in a single case to have Judicial Rents fixed by this method.
LI. 22.	Period extended.	From the 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, the number of leaseholders who applied under the provisions of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887, to the Court of the Land Commission was 362, and to the Civil Bill Courts was 307, and 251 applications were made to the latter Court during the same period to fix Judicial Rents in cases where ejectments were pending, pursuant to the provisions of sec. 6 of the Act referred to.
LI. 22.		By the 55 & 56 Vic., Cap. 60, the period during which the Civil Bill Courts and the Land Commission were authorized to receive applications from leaseholders, has been extended to the 31st December, 1893.
LI. 22.		The total number of leaseholders who have applied under the provisions of the Act referred to, up to the 31st March, 1893, is 32,432, and of these applications 30,642 have been disposed of.
XLVIII.	Total effect of Fair Rent notices of Acts of 1881 and 1887.	The entire number of rents fixed by all the methods enumerated from the passing of the Land Law Acts of 1881 and 1887 to the 31st March, 1893, was 288,034, not including judicial leases and fixed tenancies. The total rental dealt with was £5,975,697, and the aggregate judicial rent fixed in respect thereof was £4,733,262, amounting to a reduction of 20.7 per cent over the entire country. The number of cases struck out, withdrawn, or dismissed, was 58,477.
XLVIII.	Number of Appeals disposed of.	The total number of cases disposed of during the period from August, 1881, to 31st March, 1893, was therefore 346,531.
		APPEALS
XLVIII.		3,645 appeals from the Civil Bill Courts and re-hearings from the decisions of the Sub-Commissioners were heard by us during the period stated at sittings held in Dublin or in the country. We held 36 sittings at principal towns throughout the country, and 30 sittings in Dublin, for the purpose of hearing such appeals. Sittings were also held in Dublin for the disposal of motions and other court business.
XLVIII.		2,566 appeals in judicial rent cases were withdrawn, making a total of 6,211 of such applications disposed of during the period under review.
XLVIII.		The total number of such appeals disposed of since the passing of the Act in 1881 to the 31st March, 1893, was 38,649, which includes 14 appeals in cases under the Labourers Act.

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XVII.	Number of Appeals disposed of.	3,930 appeals from the Civil Bill Courts and re-hearings from the decisions of the Sub-Commissioners were heard by us during the period stated at sittings held in Dublin or in the country. We held 36 sittings at principal towns throughout the country, and 30 sittings in Dublin, for the purpose of hearing such appeals. Sittings were also held in Dublin for the disposal of motions and other court business.
XVIII.		2,566 appeals in judicial rent cases were withdrawn, making a total of 6,211 of such applications disposed of during the period under review.
XXXV.		The total number of such appeals disposed of since the passing of the Act in 1881 to the 31st March, 1898, was 38,849, which includes 14 appeals in cases under the Labourers Act.

The number of appeals lodged or reinstated in the same period was 2,387. The total number pending on the 22nd August, 1891, was 5,603, and on the 31st March, 1893, was 1,741.

Since our last Report orders were sealed fixing rents under the Labourers Acts, in 243 cases of applications from Boards of Guardians; 275 orders fixing rents were made by one of the Commissioners sitting in chamber in Dublin. The total number of such rents fixed up to 31st March, 1893, was 2,795.

In the Appendix particulars are given by counties of the number of such applications received and disposed of, and the average rent payable in respect of these cottage allotments.

One application to set aside a Lease or Grant under Section 2, of the Act of 1887, was disposed of during the period.

PURCHASE OF LAND ACTS.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER ACTS OF 1885 AND 1888

From the passing of the Act of 1885 up to the 13th day of November, 1891, since which date no further applications have been received, the total number of Loans applied for was 29,335, for £11,378,932. Of these 3,105 applications for £1,224,661 have been rejected for insufficiency of security or other reasons; the amount so rejected during the period between the 22nd August, 1891 and the 31st March, 1893, being £257,284. During the same period 2,891 applications for £900,087 were provisionally sanctioned, making the total amount sanctioned from the passing of the Act in 1885 to the 31st March, 1893, £9,768,415, after deducting cases provisionally sanctioned in former years, but rescinded since 22nd August, 1891. There were thus 1,085 applications representing £335,836 which at that date had neither been sanctioned nor refused. Of these there were 313 applications for £154,271 in excess of the ten millions granted and which can only be met out of such residue as may be created by the refusal of prior applications which have not been finally ruled or by the dismissal of applications in which the parties fail to comply with our requirements; 182 were applications for £74,637 in respect of seven estates pending in the Land Judges' Court which have not yet been disposed of in that Court, and there remained 541 applications for £156,948 in which our requisitions have not yet been complied with.

Of the total amount, £9,768,415, so provisionally sanctioned we issued 22,084 loans to the amount of £8,800,751 in respect of sales for £8,959,510, the amount issued during the period just closed being £1,872,627 for 5,286 loans. The proceedings towards the issue of the sum of £957,654 (being the difference between the amount sanctioned and the amount paid) are now in various stages of progress.

The total amount issued includes £402,305 advanced to 1,595 tenants upon 75 estates purchased by us in the Land Judges' Court.

Of the 1,063 applications under the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Acts, 1885 and 1888, received by us since our last Report, there were in respect of holdings—

Not exceeding 5 acres	Exceeding 5 acres and not exceeding 10 acres	Exceeding 10 acres and not exceeding 20 acres	Exceeding 20 acres and not exceeding 50 acres	Exceeding 50 acres and not exceeding 100 acres	Exceeding 100 acres and not exceeding 200 acres	Exceeding 200 acres and not exceeding 500 acres	Exceeding 500 acres and not exceeding 1000 acres	Exceeding 1000 acres and not exceeding 2000 acres	Exceeding 2000 acres	Applications classified according to area of holdings
133	152	133	110	143	163	150	65	10	6	

Of the 22,084 loans issued since 1985—

1,953 were for sums not exceeding		£20,	the amount issued being	£67,311	Losses
3,518 were for sums exceeding	£20 and not exceeding	£100,		£137,554	incurred
5,317	"	£100,	"	£788,523	classified
5,414	"	£200,	"	£1,655,853	according to
1,603	"	£500,	"	£556,737	accounts.
1,224	"	£700,	"	£1,037,457	
894	"	£1,200,	"	£1,360,	
479	"	£1,500,	"	£3,000,	
453	"	£2,000,	"	£3,000,	
81	"	£3,000,	"	£4,000,	
56	"	£4,000,	"	£5,000,	
			"	"	

Total for period to 31st March, 1893.

25,500,763

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XXVII. Loans
issued
Of the 22,084 Loans issued amounting to £8,800,761, 11,568 to the amount of £3,94,202, were, for Ulster, 4,305, amount £2,674,318, were for Munster, 3,750, amount £2,144, 672, were for Leinster, and 2,561, amount £587,569, were for Connacht.

Part pay-
ment of
purchase
money.

In 339 of these cases the purchase money in excess of the advances was provided by cash payments amounting to £120,957, and by mortgages to the amount of £37,782. In 138 cases the tenants have lodged the necessary Guarantee Deposits, the amount so lodged being £32,195.

Guarantee
Deposits.

The total amount of Guarantee Deposits lodged or retained was £1,720,705. Of this amount £2,148 has been repaid to the parties entitled thereto, and £2,225 8s. 2d. was applied in discharge of arrears of instalments declared pursuant to the provisions of the Act of 1885 to be "irrecoverable," leaving a balance of £1,716,333 11s. 10d. on the 31st March, 1893. Of this amount, £223,393 19s. 11d. has been invested, on the application of the parties interested, in securities as provided by the 10th section of the Act of 1887, and there remained at that date the sum of £1,492,939 11s. 11d. of which £1,426,187 was in the hands of the National Debt Commissioners.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE PURCHASE OF LAND ACT, 1891.

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XXVIII. Applications
received.

During the period from the passing of the Act in August, 1891, up to the 31st March, 1893, we have received 3,342 applications for advances from 334 estates for £1,137,093. These applications were received from four provinces as follows:—

	£
Ulster, 1,136 for	330,158
Leinster, 541 for	216,560
Munster, 875 for	238,313
Connacht, 810 for	143,142

These applications were made during the following periods:—

	£
Up to 31st December, 1891,	175 for 79,584
During the Quarter ending 31st March, 1892,	290 for 290,650
" " 30th June, 1892,	701 for 231,976
" " 30th September, 1892,	443 for 140,816
" " 31st December, 1892,	476 for 163,670
And during the Quarter ending 31st March, 1893,	536 for 591,697

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XXIX. Applications
refused.

Of these we have refused 538 applications for £140,540 for insufficiency of security and other reasons.

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XXX. Loans
sanctioned
and issued.

We have provisionally sanctioned during the period under review, 1,768 applications for £635,639, and of these, 705 Loans have been issued for £335,931.

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XXXI. Pending
applications.

Of the applications so sanctioned, 213 were for loans, amounting to £46,168, to tenants on Estates for sale in the Land Judges' Court to enable them to purchase their holdings.

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XXXII. Returns
required
by statute.

1,936 applications for £360,914, the difference between the applications received and not refused, and applications sanctioned, await the result of surveys and other preliminary inquiries, or are now being ruled.

The proceedings towards the issue of £399,588, the difference between the amounts sanctioned and issued, are now in various stages of progress.

The periodical return required by the 33rd Section of the Act has recently been sent forward by us for presentation to Parliament. It sets forth in the prescribed form, complete particulars of every case in which an advance has been made during the year ended 31st March, 1893, including the date of the advances, the names of vendor and purchaser, the situation, size, rateable value, and rent of each holding, the amount of the purchase-money, advance, and guarantee deposit. This Return can be referred to by those who desire information with regard to any particular case. For the purposes of this Report it is sufficient to state the general summary of the Return referred to.

SUMMARY of RETURNS made pursuant to 33rd Section of the Act of 1891, of advances made between 31st March, 1892, and 31st March, 1893, in each Province and for particulars the whole of Ireland.

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—	Area.	Valuation.	Rent.	Purchase Money.	Advances.		Openings Deposit.
					A. a. f.	£ a. d.	
Ulster, . . .	3,056 3 36	6,683 2 10	3,173 6 7	101,772	160,337	19,280	
Leinster, . . .	5,060 3 21	8,004 19 8	3,758 18 2	43,499	43,154	35,054	
Munster, . . .	5,571 0 8	6,687 15 0	5,256 6 11	84,456	80,450	8,908	
Connacht, . . .	1,391 1 25	631 7 0	831 12 6	12,066	10,810	1,534	
Whole of Ireland, .	22,982 1 10	16,607 5 5	13,960 2 2	242,342	234,751	45,206	

On the 20th July, 1892, Your Excellency's predecessor, the then Lord Lieutenant, in pursuance of the 11th Section of the Purchase of Land Act (Ireland), 1891, declared, as regards each county in Ireland, the proportion between the total number of agricultural and pastoral holdings for the purpose of which advances might be made by us, under the said Act, and the number of such holdings of a ratable value exceeding £50.

In the Return which will be found in the Appendix, we state, the total amount of the advances for which applications were received by us during the period under review (and which appeared to us likely to be sanctioned) in respect of each county in Ireland for the purchase of holdings, the rental of which respectively exceeded, and did not exceed, a rental of £50, and when we receive the particulars of the annual share of each county in the Guarantee Fund, we will carry over, as directed by the Act, the proper amounts to a common fund to be available for the purchase of any holding within the respective counties named, for the purchase of which advances may be made.

We have received, during the period mentioned, applications from every county in Ireland for advances for the purchase of holdings not exceeding £50 rental, and only one county has not applied in respect of holdings exceeding £50 rental.

The 13th section of the Act of 1891, provided that agreements might be entered into within six months after the passing of the Act between the former landlord and tenant, or their representatives respectively, for sale of certain holdings formerly in the possession of the tenants.

We received 188 applications under this section, for £102,527, on 18 estates. Of these within the period under review 144 applications, for £81,427, were provisionally sanctioned, but for reduced advances amounting to £77,541. In six cases the applications for £3,624 were refused for insufficient security and other reasons. Thirty-eight applications have not yet been finally ruled upon.

Allocation of the sum available for purchase in proportion to the value of holding, sec. 11, Pur. LXXXI, ch. 11, 1891.

REDEMPTION OF RENT ACT.

521 applications under the Redemption of Rent Act were received up to the 31st March, 1893. In 115 of these cases, the landlord consented in the prescribed manner to the redemption of the rent. The total amount of the prices fixed by us in 38 cases, embracing 30 estates in which we made orders for redemption, was £52,632, in respect of a total rental of the holdings, as stated in the applications of £3,656, and the total advances sanctioned in respect of the prices so fixed was £47,973. In 4 cases the applications for redemption were refused, and 73 cases have not been adjudicated upon.

The procedure, prior to issuing the advance, is necessarily more protracted in cases under this Act, than it is, save in exceptional cases, under the Land Purchase Acts, where the proceedings are initiated by a statement filed and verified by the landlord, setting forth the more essential particulars of the property he desires to sell, and by the voluntary agreements between the parties, in which the important question as to the price has been concluded before the agreement is lodged with us. Whereas, under the Redemption of Rent Act, it is requisite in the first instance that the tenant shall ascertain and state in the notice which originates the proceedings, the name of the legal lessor or grantor, and serve such notice upon him, and then, having proved that his case is one to which the Act applies, the question as to the amount of the redemption

Purchase by
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possession
of holdings.

Proceedings LXXXIII
in purchase
case under
Redemption
of Rent LXXXIV
Act.

Procedure
protected
in purchase
case
thereunder.

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Redemption
of Rent Act.

price is one which, as a rule, is a matter of considerable dispute by the parties before the Commissioner, who must decide what the price should be unless the parties have otherwise agreed.

Appeals from decisions under this Act were numerous. Per cent of redemption price often to be provided in each.

Appeals from the decision of the Commissioner who fixes the price in cases under this Act are, in proportion, more numerous than appeals in other cases. For instance, in the 42 cases, where we have fixed the price, or refused the redemption, fifteen appeals have been taken.

When the holdings are large and valuable, and the rents are considerable, the redemption price occasionally exceeds the amount which the Land Purchase Acts limit for an advance to any one purchaser (£2,000, and, in exceptional cases, £5,000). In such cases, as well as in others, it may be necessary for the tenant to find and pay the difference between the redemption price fixed, and the amount of the advance which we find we can make; the redemption is necessarily postponed until such payment is made.

Out of the total number of applications received by us under this Act, the landlords did not consent to the redemption in 471 cases, and consequently the lessors or grantees were, as the Statute provides, deemed to have made applications as if they were leaseholders under the Act of 1857 to have a judicial rent fixed.

In forty-seven of such cases judicial rents have already been fixed. The former rental was £4,001, the judicial rental amounts to £2,933, showing a reduction of 26·6 per cent. 12 applications have been dismissed, struck out, or withdrawn, and 414 cases await hearing.

ASCERTAINMENT OF ANNUAL VALUE.

Annual value.

During the period under review 374 applications were received to fix the annual value, and in 359 of these applications the annual value, as stated in the purchase agreement, was reduced: in several instances to an amount which fixed the annuity at four per cent. on the advance, below which the annuity cannot be reduced.

APPEALS IN LAND PURCHASE CASES.

Purchase appeals.

Since the date of the passing of the Purchase of Land Act, 1891, 29 appeals against the decision of our Commissioner acting alone in carrying the Purchase Acts into effect were heard by the Judicial Commissioner and two other Commissioners, pursuant to the 23rd section of that Act, and 15 appeals in cases arising under the Redemption of Rent Act have similarly been disposed of.

Appeals on questions of law only.

During the same period, 17 appeals where the appeal had reference to a question of law only, were heard by the Judicial Commissioner sitting alone, and 5 appeals were similarly heard by one of the Judges of the High Court, acting as a Judicial Commissioner for the purpose of the Land Purchase Acts.

AVERAGE RATES OF PURCHASE SINCE 1883.

Average rates of purchase since 1883.

In the cases in which advances have been provisionally sanctioned under the Land Purchase Act of 1883, during each of the years, the average prices for all Ireland, calculated upon the gross rents, were, in 1886, 18·0 times the rent; in 1887, 17·6; in 1888, 17·0; in 1889, 16·4; in 1890, 16·7; in 1891, 17·0; and during the period under review, 16·7.

Taken in counties, the averages during the years ranged in 1886 from 23·6 to 13·3; in 1887, from 20·6 to 11·3; in 1888, from 19·7 to 12·4; in 1889, from 19·7 to 13·2; in 1890, from 19·8 to 13·2; in 1891, from 19·9 to 13·7; and in the period covered by this Report, from 20·0 to 10·7. In the cases in which advances were provisionally sanctioned under the Purchase Act of 1891, the average price for all Ireland calculated upon the net rent, or annual value (where determined), was 18·7 times the annual value, and taken in counties the averages ranged from 20·3 to 14·1.

While giving these averages we consider it desirable in order that misapprehensions may be avoided, to again call attention to the following statement made in the Report for the year ending 31st August, 1889.

"These figures cannot, however, be regarded as indicating the selling value of land in any particular county or district, nor are they capable of general application. The rents upon which the prices were fixed had no uniform basis. They comprise rents payable under fee-farm grants, leases for long terms or under yearly lettings, manifestly below the present letting value, and judicial rents, and on the other hand rents much in excess of the present letting value, which had not been revised under the Acts of 1881 or 1887, and rents of holdings not above the standard of cotter allotments. When, upon an analysis of the cases in which agreements have been lodged, it is found that prices have ranged from 42·7 times the rent, to 6·2, some estimate may be formed of the variable character of the interests dealt with, and the inequalities which are to be found in every county, and upon almost every estate."

Most not be relied on generally to indicate the selling value of land.

To some extent, the discrepancies referred to will not be so marked in cases under the Act of 1891, as the power given to the purchaser to have the "annual value"

Discrepancies not so marked.

fixed for the purposes of his annuity will be exercised, it may be assumed, as a rule when based whenever the Purchaser considers the rent at the time of sale excessive.

The exercise of this power will reduce the number of cases where the "selling price" can only be measured with an "excessive rent," but many cases will still occur, when, as hitherto the rents, being "manifestly below the present letting value," will afford no just standard for measuring the amount of the price; and they will to some extent disturb the uniformity of the basis on which these averages must be calculated.

TENEMENT VALUATION.

In the Report of the Land Commission in relation to proceedings under the Act of 1881, for the year ending 22nd August, 1889, the following passages occur:—

"Griffith's Valuation, intended for purely fiscal purposes, was carried out in the years ranging from 1853 to 1865, and the original variances which it discloses arising from the different periods at which it was made in the respective districts, as well as the great changes that have occurred in the circumstances of Ireland since its promulgation, lead us to regard it at the present day as an altogether untrustworthy basis to proceed upon in estimating a fair rent in individual cases."

"For these reasons it is quite possible that in future we may find it advisable to omit any reference to the Valuation in the Tables annexed to our Annual Report."

Concurring in the views thus stated and as it has been found that in purchase transactions as well as in proceedings to fix judicial rents that the tenement valuation cannot for various reasons be always ascertained or set out with accuracy in the form need in such cases, and in order that misleading comparisons and misconceptions may be avoided, we have arrived at the conclusion on this occasion and in future to omit the tables purporting to give the total of the Tenement Valuation in each county from the Appendices of our Annual Report.

We shall, however, still require that particulars of the valuation wherever it is possible to obtain it, shall be supplied by the parties in the different forms in use in the various branches of the Commission. This is necessary to enable us to consider the incidence of taxation in cases before us, and in the periodical returns both as regards purchase transactions and of Judicial Rents fixed which contain particulars of each case in detail, the Tenement Valuation when obtainable will be published as hitherto.

The receipt of instalments in repayment of advances under the Purchase of Land Act, 1885, continues to be satisfactory. From the passing of that Act to the 1st of November last, £1,070,285 had accrued due in respect of interest and instalments, of which amount, £156,133 represents the November gale, the number of payers on the Books of the Commission being 18,560. The total amount of arrears unpaid on the 31st March, 1893, was £8,515, due by 937 payers. These arrears have, at the date of this Report, been reduced to £4,754, payable by 378 persons. With the exception of £84, the arrears now due are in respect of the half-yearly instalments which accrued due on the 1st November last.

The holdings of forty-four purchasers who made default in payment of their instalments, were advertised for sale during the period covered by this Report.

In thirty-two of these cases the sales were withdrawn, the defaulters having settled with the Commission before sale; in nine cases the holdings were sold to ordinary purchasers; in one case where there was no competition the holding was purchased by the former landlord; and in two cases, in which there were no bidders, the holdings are in the hands of the Land Commission, pending re-sale.

In the period between the passing of the Purchase Act of 1885 and the 31st March, 1893, £2,225 8s. 2d., portion of the sum of £3,302 retained as guarantee deposits in respect of twelve holdings has been applied in discharge of unpaid instalments due thereon. Seven of these holdings have been sold, and five, including the two holdings mentioned in the preceding paragraph, were at the above date in the hands of the Commission pending re-sale, of which two have been let temporarily.

In the foregoing paragraphs we have given separately the general results of the proceedings under the Land Purchase Acts of 1885 and 1891, but taking the proceedings under both Acts in the aggregate during the period between the 22nd August, 1891, and 31st March, 1893, 1,079 applications for £397,824 were rejected, 4,639 applications for £1,535,726 were provisionally sanctioned, and 6,002 loans, amounting to £2,118,588 were issued. (The amount issued in the quarter ending 31st March, last being £690,166, in respect of 2,168 loans). 4,435 Vesting Orders were executed, and, with the exception of fourteen titles, nine of which were lodged in the month of March, rulings have been issued upon all abstracts of title lodged up to the 31st March. We are fully alive to the importance of expediting, as far as possible, the completion of sales, but, as has been explained in former reports, advances are sanctioned subject

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Tenement
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Tenement
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pending in
Court.

to satisfactory proof of title. The issue of a loan depends upon the nature of the vendor's title, the difficulties and delays which may arise in the preparation and lodgment thereof, and upon the activity and diligence of the vendor's solicitor, in making searches and discharging queries. Estates, or even townlands, are not sold en bloc. Many vendors enter into agreements for the sale of single holdings without sufficient regard to the character of the estate being dealt with, the outgoings and charges to which it is liable, or to the proceedings for the apportionment and redemption of head rents and rent charges resulting from such sales. In the cases of estates pending for sale in the Land Judges' Court applications for advances are frequently made before the rentals have been finally settled, and in such cases the loans cannot be closed until the offers for purchase in that Court have been accepted. The 85th of our General Rules provides that before making any advance we must be satisfied that any interest payable upon the purchase money over and above one half-year's interest has been paid, satisfied, or released. In many instances the lodgment of vesting orders or applications to have the purchase money lodged in the Bank of Ireland under the 14th section of the Land Law Act, 1887, are postponed for many months by the vendors to enable them to recover interest which under the terms of their agreements the tenant purchasers should have paid half-yearly as it accrued. In cases where delay appears to have taken place, we have recently made arrangements whereby under summons to explain the delay, and other methods, we hope to put pressure upon the parties responsible to have the sale closed with expedition.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Agricul-
tural
Statistics.

The Collection and publication of Agricultural Statistics as referred to in the last Report issued, has been continued; further improvements have been made in the system of collection and compiling, with a view to greater completeness in detail and classification.

Diagrams showing the fluctuations of prices of beef, mutton, store stock, and agricultural produce in Ireland for the period from the years 1887, to the 31st of March, 1893, inclusive, have been added to the Quarterly Report of Prices of Irish Farm Produce. These will be found in the Appendix with the Reports referred to.

A series of experiments in the application of certain dressings to the potato plant for the prevention of potato disease were carried out during the summer and Autumn of 1892. The experiments gave satisfactory results, indicating that a timely application of a mixture of sulphate of copper and lime to the potato plant was beneficial in prolonging the period of growth, and lessening the ill effects of potato disease. A full Report of these experiments has been submitted to your Excellency.

By direction of your Excellency, a leaflet has been prepared, and is in course of issue to the public, giving plain instructions for the preparation and application to the potato plant of a mixture of Sulphate of Copper and Lime, similar to that used in the experiments referred to.

Steps have been taken to call the attention of Market Authorities and others to the necessity of complying with the provisions of the Markets and Fairs, Weighing of Cattle Act, 1887 and 1891.

A number of fairs where it had been shown that small quantities of stock are exposed for sale have been exempted from the provisions of this Act.

At the request of the Congested Districts Board, the Agricultural Department has carried out the working of schemes approved by the Board for the improvement in the breeding of live stock and poultry, of and for the improvement of forestry; agriculture by means of example holdings &c.; more particularly referred to in the report of that Board.

The Agricultural Department has also, at the request of the Board, purchased small quantities of seeds and manures for sale and distribution to residents in the Congested Districts.

FINANCIAL.

The total amount of Loans issued in cash by the Land Commission since the passing of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, under the Land Purchase Acts (exclusive of the Purchase of Land Act, 1891), and the Tramways and Public Companies Acts, up to the date of this Report, has been £9,068,459. The total amount of principal re-paid by the purchasing tenants has been £282,453, the interest paid by them has been £760,937. Nothing has yet been remitted or written off either on account of principal or interest. The total arrears unpaid on all these accounts on the 31st March last, amounted for principal to £2,526, and for interest to £7,692.

EXCISE
No. 2
Total
amount
of Loans
issued.

The detailed statement in the Appendix includes advances made by us under the Statement 29th Section of the Land Law Act of 1881, in payment of arrears of rent, the total amount advanced being £18,793 of which £17,981 has been repaid, and excludes advances made under the Purchase of Land Act, 1891, as the advances under that Act are made in Guaranteed Land Stock.

The total annual revenue collectible by us for the financial year ending 31st March, 1893, amounted to £878,124, payable by 55,637 persons, and made up as follows:—

1. Church property:—		Revenue collectible for year to 31st March 1893.
Total rental for year ending 31st March, 1893, payable by persons besides £128,692 miscellaneous sales, &c.	55,337	—
The amounts on various heads of accounts of this property have decreased during the financial year by £16,985.	—	561,784
2. Annuities under Land Purchase Acts on 31st March, 1893,		
payable by persons	20,350	—
—	—	316,360
Total, persons	55,637	£878,124

Our payments during the year ending 31st March, 1893, were as follows.

Payments in same period.

	£
From the Church Property Fund (1,041 payments)	660,281
Land Purchase Acts—payments 1st May and 1st November to 2,910	
Persons for interest and dividends on general deposits retained, 1,338	38,817
1,338 payments to vendors, insurers, and others on sales transactions, 1,594,403	
1,609 payments out of money retained in Separate Credit Accounts under Section 16 of the Land Act of 1887, 737,154	
Total number of payments 5,495, —	
Total amount paid,	£3,030,635

Pursuant to Section 17 of the Act of 1891, we transferred Guaranteed Land Stock to the amount of £37,745 11s. 5d. to the Church Temporalities account for the redemption moneys of tithe rent charges and head rents, the property of the late Established Church, ordered to be redeemed in various purchase transactions.

The National Debt Commissioners take over such stock from us at par value.

All property of the Congested Districts Board is vested in us, to be held by us in trust for the purposes of that portion of the Act of 1891 which relates to the Congested Districts. At the request of the Board we recently purchased in the Land Judges Courts' lot of an Estate in the county Galway for £7,600 out of moneys supplied by the Board, and which we were informed by the Board they required for the purpose of "aiding and developing agriculture." This land has been placed under the control of the Board.

33,639 copies of documents were issued from the Office of the Keeper of Records, in addition to which 23,203 folios of other miscellaneous documents were issued, for which the amount received from the public, for scrivenery and other fees, amounted to £1,897.

Purchase of Property for Congested District Board.

Documents issued from Record Department.

TEMPORALITIES OF LATE ESTABLISHED CHURCH.

The property of the late Established Church which was vested in the Land Commission by the 44 and 45 Vic., c. 71, produced during the year a total income of £690,456, of which £128,692 was for redemption of income and sales of property. The total amount of payments from the Church Fund made by us during the year ending 31st March, 1893, was £660,281, leaving a balance of £30,175 applicable for the reduction of debt.

The total annual rental receivable by us taken on the 1st April amounted to £584,427; whereas the liabilities of the fund, with cost of administration taken on the same date, amounted to £583,427.

It will thus be observed that our present liabilities exceed our receivable rental by about £49,000. We have in the period under review, been able to meet our liabilities and reduce the capital debt, owing to the fact that in addition to the rental referred to, the sum of £128,692 was received for redemptions and sales of property.

It should, however, be borne in mind that the Fund is charged with an annuity of £295,704 payable to the National Debt Commissioners which will terminate in about nine years from the present.

Total rental produced to year 31st March, 1893.

Annual liabilities on Church Fund, Hibernian rental.

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APPENDIX: Statement
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Statement
as to
revenue
and expen-
ditures.

Decrease of
total
liability
since 1881.
Purchase by
tenants on
church
estate.

Investiga-
tion of tithe
rentcharge
and
liabilities.

Tithe Rent-
charge pay-
able.

Recovery
of arrears
exactly.

Perpetuity
rents.

Reduction
of Perpe-
tuity Rents
according
to average
prices of corn.

In the appendix will be found a statement of the particulars of the Revenue as it stands at present, and of the estimated expenditure to be met out of that Revenue.

By payments made since the property vested, the total liability has been decreased from £11,921,862 to £8,474,085, exclusive of the annuity for £20,000 for the Royal University, which is not a capital charge.

The original debt of £9,000,000 for the purposes of the Church Act, and due to the Commissioners for the reduction of National Debt has been reduced to £2,329,513, at the date of our last report the amount was £2,783,914.

Twenty-one tenants occupying holdings on the Church Property estate have availed themselves of the provisions of the 10th Section of the Land Purchase Act of 1891, which enabled us to make advances to them in guaranteed land stock of the purchase money required.

Progress has been made in the investigation of Tithe Rent-charge and Tithe annuity liabilities, in 182 parishes containing 1,860,650 acres, and subject to £32,026. These charges, payable by 3,134 persons, have been investigated and mapped since the date of our last report.

In all, 1,128 parishes containing 10,912,312 acres, and subject to £208,232 annual charge payable by 20,169 persons, have been investigated.

The total Tithe Rentcharge Rental now payable is £173,464, and is collectible in sums varying from less than 1s. to several hundred pounds. The legal proofs necessary in proceedings against payers in default is the same for annual tithe rentcharge of 1s. as for one of £100, and even when the proceedings can be taken in the County Courts, the expenses and costs necessarily incurred is out of all proportion to the amount recoverable, consequently the collection of the numerous small items on our tithe rentcharge and tithe annuities rental, is very costly, and losses are inevitable.

The perpetuity rents, the price of which, when offered to the grantees, under the Church Act, was fixed at twenty-five years' purchase, are variable at seven year intervals, according to the price of wheat and oats.

The present annual rental of this part of the property is £66,886.

In the last year eleven perpetuity rents amounting to £1,419 13s. 2d. were reduced to accordance with the prices of corn to £959 13s. 10d. The loss of income amounting to £459 19s. 4d.

Under the Land Purchase Acts payers of these perpetuity rents who sell to their tenants are entitled to have the redemption price fixed by arbitration, and in such cases the statutory price of twenty-five years may not as a rule be realised.

(Signed).

E. T. BEWLEY.
S. J. LYNCH.
FREDK. WRENCH.
GERALD FITZGERALD.
MURROUGH O'BRIEN.

John H. FRANKS, Secretary,

31st May, 1893.

24, Upper Merrion-street, Dublin.

APPENDIX.

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE.

Section 8, Sub-section 1.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.*

Section 1.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887.*

Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891.

I.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Originating Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged with the Irish Land Commission, the Number of such Notices transferred from the Civil Bill Course to the Irish Land Commission, the Number of Rents fixed by Chief Commission, Sub-Commission, and Valuers, and of Cases Dismissed, Struck out, and Withdrawn during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged.		Number transferred from Civil Bill Course.		20000 Number of Cases.	Number of Rents fixed.				Total Number of Cases dismissed.		
						By Chief Commission.		By Sub-Commission.				
	Yearly Transfers.	Estimated Transfers.	Yearly Transfers.	Estimated Transfers.		Yearly Transfers.	Estimated Transfers.	Yearly Transfers.	Estimated Transfers.			
ULSTER:												
Antrim.	160	70	34	—	—	10	—	—	—	211		
Armagh.	126	2	42	3	—	1	1	—	—	210		
Down.	137	15	7	18	2	—	—	—	—	216		
Donegal.	35	6	3	—	—	1	1	1	—	205		
Derry.	127	25	37	—	—	10	—	—	—	197		
Fermanagh.	125	4	9	8	—	—	—	—	—	189		
Londonderry.	90	1	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	75		
Monaghan.	76	4	22	20	—	—	—	—	—	124		
Tyrone.	90	18	60	4	1	10	9	—	—	159		
Total.	842	159	350	162	2	1,489	4	42	5	3,021		
LEINSTER:												
Carlow.	64	12	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	66		
Dublin.	26	25	22	—	—	20	12	24	—	226		
Wicklow.	37	13	14	3	—	—	—	—	—	37		
Kilkenny.	111	11	12	4	—	10	22	24	—	211		
King's.	21	—	8	3	2	—	—	—	—	211		
Laois.	15	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15		
Louth.	95	5	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	95		
Meath.	65	25	12	24	—	—	—	—	—	126		
Offaly.	79	13	9	5	2	—	—	—	—	124		
Westmeath.	80	15	—	21	—	24	—	—	—	78		
Waterford.	97	44	31	—	—	123	4	2	—	161		
Wexford.	49	29	25	—	—	71	4	2	—	69		
Total.	859	156	140	56	2	965	30	71	—	1,846		
CONNACTURE:												
Galway.	650	37	4	—	—	606	—	—	—	652		
Limerick.	41	2	—	20	10	36	—	—	—	36		
Mayo.	59	8	—	8	—	325	—	2	—	41		
Roscommon.	250	22	4	—	1	268	—	3	—	257		
Sligo.	364	18	2	—	—	119	—	12	—	360		
Total.	1,349	79	8	40	4	1,258	—	35	—	1,337		
MUNSTER:												
Cork.	186	97	8	—	—	318	—	9	—	396		
East.	22	25	25	51	118	42	486	9	15	542		
Kerry.	200	25	5	49	7	318	—	8	—	349		
Limerick.	87	43	1	48	9	138	1	2	1	125		
Tipperary.	253	33	37	28	8	206	1	7	3	242		
Waterford.	18	6	8	90	7	98	—	1	—	127		
Total.	846	245	122	397	73	1,201	3	36	1	1,025		
SUMMARY:												
ULSTER.	842	159	350	162	2	1,489	4	42	5	3,021		
LEINSTER.	859	156	140	56	2	965	30	71	—	1,846		
CONNACTURE.	1,349	79	8	40	4	1,258	—	35	—	1,337		
MUNSTER.	846	245	122	397	73	1,201	3	36	1	1,025		
Total.	3,047	383	411	559	84	4,005	67	173	3	4,367		

* Some of these Rents may have been fixed in cases where the Court had previously made orders that the Lessee of the holdings be demised to the present occupier under Section 3, Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, see Table IX.

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

II.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Originating Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged with the Irish Land Commission, the number of such Notices transferred from the Civil Bill Courts to the Irish Land Commission, the number of Rents fixed by Chief Commissioners, Sub-Commissioners, and Valuers, and of Cases Dismissed, Struck out, and Withdrawn, during the period from the 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1883.

PROVINCE AND COUNCIL	Total Taxes Paid Household Taxes and Land Tax, 1908	Number of Original- ing Notices to the Fair Tax Laid.	Number transferred from Civil Bill Course.	Number of Taxes Paid.										
				By Chief Commissioner.					By Sub-Commissioners.					
				Yearly Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Yearly Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	Landhold. Taxes.	
ULSTER:														
Antrim, .	6,687	8,378	26	8	-	8,870	15	320	9	6,884	1,259	-	8,129	
Armagh, .	5,227	652	45	4	-	10,280	3	100	1	6,785	213	-	5,773	
Donegal, .	4,174	482	1	1,018	145	6,967	3	65	1	4,181	943	-	4,472	
Down, .	12,736	653	9	6	-	12,937	11	95	-	6,950	397	-	8,086	
Fermanagh, .	5,450	1,237	37	1	-	11,578	14	134	-	5,452	873	-	7,105	
Londonderry, .	6,785	201	2	137	2	8,100	8	95	-	6,781	236	-	8,789	
Meath, .	7,435	292	36	59	-	7,555	9	94	-	5,922	236	-	5,927	
Tyrone, .	16,903	1,057	40	349	12	12,208	8	101	-	6,108	263	-	8,895	
Total, .	71,448	7,538	180	5,086	270	81,488	64	980	9	60,681	4,597	16	60,639	
LÉINSTER:														
Carlow, .	1,018	670	7	8	-	2,284	3	77	-	6,107	428	-	1,026	
Dublin, .	727	225	25	5	-	1,113	27	78	-	1,001	225	15	907	
Wicklow, .	1,506	655	12	12	1	1,000	15	98	-	603	623	-	1,477	
Kilkenny, .	2,264	737	12	12	110	10	4,122	3	9	2,071	810	-	5,664	
King's, .	2,023	475	6	65	8	2,073	9	12	-	1,987	843	-	3,178	
Longford, .	2,020	451	9	26	26	3,103	4	12	-	2,147	328	-	3,004	
Louth, .	2,026	367	6	15	8	2,457	17	51	-	6,103	271	-	1,022	
Meath, .	2,047	842	13	226	87	3,256	17	145	-	1,796	629	-	5,561	
Queen's, .	2,025	659	2	93	22	3,370	3	95	-	1,988	225	-	3,394	
Waterford, .	8,658	258	6	164	25	2,007	4	95	-	1,956	878	-	3,264	
Wexford, .	1,193	1,265	21	65	-	4,013	21	119	-	6,001	973	-	5,011	
Wicklow, .	1,626	371	35	1	-	9,376	22	120	-	6,102	326	2	1,765	
Total, .	32,762	7,561	180	1,081	391	34,325	237	910	-	18,322	6,695	90	26,241	
CONNACTHAN:														
Galway, .	14,375	582	6	1	-	14,811	20	27	-	117	8,439	173	-	10,890
Léitrim, .	4,496	476	1	1,057	40	5,610	13	8	-	4,429	614	-	4,520	
Mayo, .	18,148	547	1	1,240	8	15,228	2	11	-	15	5116	345	-	9,385
Roscommon, .	8,850	1,108	1	210	1	1,903	7	20	-	8,856	250	-	7,205	
Sligo, .	6,155	355	2	259	-	6,058	8	19	-	6,109	647	-	4,278	
Total, .	61,350	2,306	6	2,594	87	53,985	36	82	-	185	16,196	1,956	-	35,413
MUNSTER:														
Cork, .	4,050	1,019	21	85	-	9,315	6	92	-	99	6,037	1,182	-	5,146
Carl, .	3,113	6,028	101	865	685	14,289	37	825	-	3,084	8,036	1,036	10,125	
Kerry, .	8,086	788	2	543	69	8,086	1	56	-	5,082	276	2	4,033	
Limerick, .	3,285	1,642	7	320	36	5,000	20	323	1	366	1,085	1	4,266	
Tipperary, .	6,639	3,117	27	59	15	7,308	26	69	-	3,686	3,255	8	5,130	
Waterford, .	1,031	372	6	93	179	2,048	18	28	-	3,407	280	17	1,749	
Total, .	30,358	10,895	133	1,026	380	44,548	37	450	1	793	13,679	8,004	8	32,361
SUMMARY:														
ULSTER, .	71,448	7,538	180	5,086	270	81,488	64	980	9	175	16,196	4,597	8	60,639
LEINSTER, .	32,762	7,561	180	1,081	391	34,325	237	910	-	331	16,196	1,956	90	26,241
CONNACTHAN,	61,350	2,306	6	2,594	87	53,985	36	82	-	186	16,196	1,956	2	35,413
MUNSTER, .	30,358	10,895	133	1,026	380	44,548	37	450	1	793	13,679	8,004	8	32,361
Total, .	171,319	20,695	472	8,095	1,200	114,322	304	1,281	9	1,193	16,196	4,597	10	104,210

*Some of these fees may have been paid in satisfaction the Co. had previously made orders with the Lessors of the holdings before the creation of peasant tenures under section 1, Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881. See Table II.

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

II.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed for Yearly Tenancies by Chief Commission and Sub-Commission during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

Province and County.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Acreage. Hectares.	Former Rents.	Judicial Rents.	Per-centages of Reduction.				
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ULSTER:									
Armagh, - - -	318	9,050 3 84	2,115 3 0	1,078 3 5	40.7				
Armagh, - - -	386	2,127 3 01	1,088 3 0	1,040 3 2	44.6				
Cavan, - - -	296	2,109 3 18	1,088 3 0	1,031 3 3	34.6				
Donegal, - - -	422	2,048 3 05	1,047 3 21	1,078 3 0	24.6				
Donegal, - - -	81	1,158 3 04	1,081 3 0	110 3 4	33.3				
Fermanagh, - - -	27	2,002 3 03	1,088 3 12	1,032 3 2	18.6				
Londonderry, - - -	47	666 3 00	676 3 0	556 3 10	20.0				
Monaghan, - - -	218	2,000 3 03	1,013 3 03	1,018 3 0	30.6				
Tyrone, - - -	55	1,043 3 14	1,038 3 21	1,000 3 10	18.7				
Total, - - -	1,807	22,307 3 15	17,448 3 03	16,084 3 04	30.1				
LEINSTER:									
Carlow, - - -	20	2,788 3 56	1,036 3 6	1,181 3 0	30.9				
Dublin, - - -	83	8,018 3 00	8,045 3 01	8,038 3 0	34.7				
Kildare, - - -	69	2,102 3 28	1,778 3 0	1,661 3 0	22.9				
Kilkenny, - - -	183	4,004 3 16	6,140 3 11	3,954 3 11	33.9				
King's, - - -	118	6,009 3 10	2,084 3 0	2,709 3 0	14.9				
Longford, - - -	37	603 3 07	464 3 0	688 3 0	38.6				
Louth, - - -	2	502 3 05	545 3 0	545 3 0	—				
Meath, - - -	78	8,448 3 16	8,012 3 0	8,004 3 7	24.6				
Queen's, - - -	109	4,000 3 26	5,653 3 0	5,030 3 4	20.4				
Westmeath, - - -	29	2,048 3 0	2,107 3 26	1,862 3 0	30.1				
Wexford, - - -	145	4,811 3 22	8,013 3 21	5,078 3 0	30.9				
Wicklow, - - -	49	5,000 3 4	1,044 3 4	1,080 3 0	40.7				
Total, - - -	1,013	85,004 3 15	84,233 3 0	84,032 3 7	26.7				
CONNACTURE:									
Galway, - - -	220	18,003 3 7	4,286 3 51	4,800 3 18	31.9				
Litirne, - - -	234	8,773 3 14	1,088 3 12	1,068 3 18	21.2				
Mayo, - - -	54	1,049 3 00	450 3 0	366 3 13	29.1				
Roscommon, - - -	288	18,180 3 31	8,087 3 0	6,430 3 8	33.6				
Sligo, - - -	118	2,077 3 05	549 3 0	712 3 0	39.2				
Total, - - -	1,281	90,754 3 18	35,709 3 0	31,660 3 8	31.6				
MUNSTER:									
Clare, - - -	98	4,383 3 23	2,020 3 0	1,512 3 0	30.6				
Cork, - - -	108	4,430 3 15	3,449 3 25	4,000 3 0	34.0				
Kerry, - - -	269	18,005 3 1	2,000 3 0	2,000 3 0	39.9				
Limerick, - - -	120	6,788 3 13	6,044 3 15	6,318 3 0	37.6				
Tipperary, - - -	64	4,470 3 20	5,000 3 0	5,004 3 0	34.5				
Waterford, - - -	68	1,033 3 0	698 3 0	501 3 0	30.0				
Total, - - -	645	86,893 3 20	15,000 3 0	14,001 3 0	31.8				
SUMMARY:									
Ulster, - - -	1,807	22,307 3 15	17,448 3 03	16,084 3 04	30.1				
Leinster, - - -	1,013	85,004 3 15	84,233 3 0	84,032 3 7	26.7				
Connacht, - - -	1,281	90,754 3 18	35,709 3 0	31,660 3 8	31.6				
Munster, - - -	645	86,893 3 20	15,000 3 0	14,001 3 0	31.8				
Total, - - -	4,715	214,854 3 15	117,386 3 03	105,777 3 10	30.0				

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE.—continued.

IV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed for Yearly Tenancies by Chief Commission and Sub-Commissions during the period from the 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st of March, 1883; and also a Summary of the Average, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NUMBER OF CASES IN WHICH JUDICIAL RENTS HAVE BEEN FIXED.	AVERAGE. STATUTE MEASURE.	FORMER RENT.	JUDICIAL RENT.	PERCENTAGE OF REDUCTION.
		A. H. P.	A. H. P.	A. H. P.	
ULSTER:					
Antrim, . . .	4,429	120,318 1 17 <i>1</i>	98,873 19 9 <i>1</i>	78,862 13 9	20 <i>88</i>
Armagh, . . .	6,365	92,369 0 13 <i>1</i>	96,944 0 9 <i>1</i>	78,169 15 9 <i>1</i>	20 <i>41</i>
Cavan, . . .	6,372	88,118 1 23	98,482 7 3 <i>2</i>	48,225 3 3	20 <i>5</i>
Donegal, . . .	6,589	104,973 0 9 <i>1</i>	98,189 0 1	63,670 18 1 <i>1</i>	20 <i>9</i>
Down, . . .	6,266	102,832 2 26 <i>1</i>	104,913 7 2 <i>2</i>	123,887 18 9	12 <i>0</i>
Fermanagh, . . .	3,078	96,346 1 8	95,688 14 9 <i>1</i>	41,781 1 3	19 <i>8</i>
Londonderry, . . .	2,270	78,786 2 6 <i>1</i>	90,988 6 7	41,127 10 7	19 <i>0</i>
Meath, . . .	6,785	86,079 9 9 <i>1</i>	76,385 9 3 <i>2</i>	58,089 16 8	20 <i>9</i>
Tyrone, . . .	6,292	100,585 2 26 <i>1</i>	115,386 18 2 <i>1</i>	88,706 14 1	19 <i>1</i>
Total, . . .	46,006	1,166,274 2 9 <i>1</i>	118,185 8 10 <i>1</i>	821,954 8 8	20 <i>7</i>
LEINSTER:					
Carlow, . . .	1,384	48,177 0 9 <i>1</i>	34,171 19 3	37,099 17 1	22 <i>2</i>
Dublin, . . .	858	16,864 2 5 <i>1</i>	20,087 4 10 <i>1</i>	20,087 0 5	16 <i>0</i>
Kildare, . . .	142	35,941 1 9 <i>1</i>	35,938 11 3	37,046 13 3	16 <i>4</i>
Kilkenny, . . .	9,199	130,082 1 23	95,923 0 0 <i>1</i>	82,205 18 1 <i>1</i>	22 <i>8</i>
King's, . . .	2,895	68,428 1 9 <i>1</i>	45,041 19 9	38,071 12 9	17 <i>9</i>
Longford, . . .	3,351	84,458 0 5 <i>1</i>	40,637 17 9	31,179 12 4 <i>1</i>	19 <i>8</i>
Louth, . . .	3,384	38,119 0 2 <i>1</i>	48,899 18 8 <i>1</i>	35,188 12 8	20 <i>9</i>
Meath, . . .	3,359	52,466 0 9 <i>1</i>	60,382 7 4	32,438 11 9	18 <i>4</i>
Offey, . . .	1,393	68,777 0 2 <i>1</i>	55,054 19 10	40,980 7 0	22 <i>1</i>
Waterford, . . .	3,006	99,392 2 9 <i>1</i>	97,009 18 8 <i>1</i>	43,026 18 0	19 <i>8</i>
Wexford, . . .	3,972	85,446 0 2 <i>1</i>	81,083 18 8 <i>1</i>	53,069 18 10 <i>1</i>	22 <i>2</i>
Wicklow, . . .	3,318	67,396 2 1 <i>1</i>	61,006 4 9	22,151 18 7	22 <i>4</i>
Total, . . .	35,554	121,612 2 26 <i>1</i>	108,554 8 1	665,159 14 11 <i>1</i>	20 <i>5</i>
CONNACT:					
Galway, . . .	6,904	932,786 1 27 <i>1</i>	910,889 0 10 <i>1</i>	68,171 16 1	26 <i>3</i>
Limerick, . . .	4,893	161,782 0 27 <i>1</i>	21,877 7 2 <i>2</i>	20,782 1 9 <i>1</i>	22 <i>8</i>
Mayo, . . .	2,312	190,399 0 2 <i>1</i>	24,063 7 10	18,967 18 4 <i>1</i>	20 <i>8</i>
Donegal, . . .	6,987	186,781 2 26 <i>1</i>	96,383 9 9 <i>1</i>	68,426 18 8 <i>1</i>	20 <i>9</i>
Sligo, . . .	8,688	111,288 0 1 <i>1</i>	68,485 10 7	67,372 1 8 <i>1</i>	21 <i>4</i>
Total, . . .	46,255	868,378 0 2 <i>1</i>	868,378 10 8 <i>1</i>	861,787 13 1	22 <i>4</i>
MUNSTER:					
Cork, . . .	8,323	994,313 2 9 <i>1</i>	210,394 3 6	80,829 18 11 <i>1</i>	20 <i>9</i>
Car, . . .	8,518	280,728 2 26 <i>1</i>	280,728 13 6	180,963 0 18	16 <i>0</i>
Kerry, . . .	8,810	240,038 1 2 <i>1</i>	90,046 13 0 <i>1</i>	78,056 18 4	20 <i>4</i>
Limerick, . . .	9,000	188,459 2 26 <i>1</i>	188,459 17 8 <i>1</i>	90,939 16 7	21 <i>2</i>
Tipperary, . . .	8,000	188,937 2 26 <i>1</i>	181,343 4 6	104,743 11 11	19 <i>1</i>
Waterford, . . .	1,381	31,612 1 26	18,300 7 3 <i>1</i>	48,794 18 7	19 <i>4</i>
Total, . . .	50,137	1,007,729 1 0 <i>1</i>	112,391 6 10 <i>1</i>	894,310 8 4	20 <i>8</i>
SUMMARY:					
Ulster, . . .	80,915	1,166,274 2 9 <i>1</i>	175,346 0 18 <i>1</i>	81,918 0 9	21 <i>5</i>
Leinster, . . .	36,009	121,612 2 26 <i>1</i>	171,324 0 9	64,638 14 11 <i>1</i>	20 <i>5</i>
Connacht, . . .	86,255	868,378 0 2 <i>1</i>	868,378 10 8 <i>1</i>	861,787 13 1	22 <i>4</i>
Munster, . . .	50,137	1,007,729 1 0 <i>1</i>	171,327 6 10 <i>1</i>	894,310 8 4	20 <i>8</i>
Total, . . .	234,306	3,802,079 0 18 <i>1</i>	1,647,281 7 9	1,678,798 14 9 <i>1</i>	20 <i>5</i>

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I TO XV. INCLUSIVE.—continued.

V.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed by the Irish Land Commission on the Reports of Valuers appointed upon the applications of Landlords and Tenants, during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st of March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Percentage of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	—	—	—	—	—
Armagh,	—	—	—	—	—
Cavan,	1	20 0 4	24 0 0	18 0 0	80%
Donegal,	—	—	—	—	—
Down,	—	—	—	—	—
Fermanagh,	—	—	—	—	—
Londonderry,	—	—	—	—	—
Monaghan,	—	—	—	—	—
Tyrone,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	1	20 0 4	24 0 0	18 0 0	80%
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	8	100 0 14	106 0 0	114 7 8	80%
Dublin,	—	—	—	—	—
Kildare,	—	—	—	—	—
Kilkenny,	—	—	—	—	—
King's,	—	—	—	—	—
Laois,	—	—	—	—	—
Louth,	1	3 0 23	3 3 3	2 2 2	33%
Meath,	2	18 0 17	19 0 0	19 0 0	0%
Queen's,	1	49 1 0	55 18 8	39 18 8	30%
Westmeath,	—	—	—	—	—
Wexford,	—	—	—	—	—
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	8	941 0 0	1,027 1 8	1028 1 0	80%
CONNEMARA:					
Galway,	—	—	—	—	—
Leftrin,	—	—	—	—	—
Mayo,	—	—	—	—	—
Roscommon,	—	—	—	—	—
Sligo,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	—	—	—	—	—
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	—	—	—	—	—
Cork,	37	380 1 13	353 1 0	343 8 9	80%
County,	9	410 2 12	327 3 0	173 2 1	58%
Limerick,	1	124 0 12	99 0 0	85 10 8	31%
Tipperary,	8	387 2 12	389 18 10	47 27 8	80%
Waterford,	3	34 0 0	38 0 0	35 8 2	80%
Total,	48	1,084 2 12	1,284 18 10	781 7 8	80%
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	1	20 0 4	24 0 0	18 0 0	80%
Leinster,	8	941 0 0	1,027 1 8	1028 1 0	80%
Connemara,	—	—	—	—	—
Munster,	46	1,084 2 12	1,284 18 10	781 7 8	80%

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FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

VI.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed by the Irish Land Commission on the Reports of Valuers appointed upon the applications of Landlords and Tenants, during the period from the 25th May, 1883, to the 31st March, 1893; and also, a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NUMBER OF CASES IN WHICH JUDICIAL RENT HAS BEEN FIXED.	AVERAGE STATUTE MEASURE.	FORMER RENT.	JUDICIAL RENT.	PER-CENTAGE OF REDUCTION.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	8	218 1 00	218 10 10	178 0 0	17%
Armagh,	1	2 2 6	18 1 0	7 10 0	99%
Carry,	162	2,000 1 29	2,000 0 0	2,000 4 0	0%
Bonnywell,	24	638 1 56	102 4 0	112 10 0	99%
Down,	—	—	—	—	—
Fermanagh,	18	917 2 22	64 17 10	30 20 0	67
Londonderry,	—	—	—	—	—
Monaghan,	8	153 2 31	180 0 10	81 1 10	80%
Tyrone,	21	414 2 97	203 15 0	200 7 10	18%
Total,	278	4,238 1 29	8,188 0 4	3,062 2 0	11%
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	2	611 2 12	487 0 00	446 10 0	21%
Dublin,	1	0 0 00	10 0 0	0 10 0	100
Kildare,	18	827 0 00	828 0 0	811 1 0	4%
Kilkenny,	10	810 1 00	827 0 0	468 0 0	97
King's,	0	818 1 00	297 18 0	288 10 0	3%
Laois,	6	550 1 00	495 0 0	388 10 0	22%
Louth,	0	65 1 0	70 0 0	65 10 0	10%
Meath,	81	1,071 0 29	1,012 10 30	1,012 0 0	12%
Queen's,	11	645 1 00	914 10 0	592 10 0	39%
Wexford,	20	821 0 00	346 10 4	487 0 0	9%
Waterford,	42	2,460 0 00	1,020 10 10	1,020 0 0	17%
Wicklow,	18	803 2 27	890 0 1	738 0 0	17%
Total,	331	8,033 1 00	7,888 10 0	6,882 0 20	14%
CONNACTY:					
Galway,	127	2,820 0 00	1,020 2 4	1,020 10 21	10%
Lisburn,	0	818 0 00	182 0 0	132 7 0	70
Mayo,	18	292 0 00	37 7 0	38 10 0	50%
Westmeath,	28	480 0 00	281 12 0	281 10 0	39%
Sligo,	34	362 0 00	487 10 0	389 1 20	10%
Total,	188	4,428 0 00	2,820 10 4	2,814 10 0	10%
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	10	8,240 1 10	1,065 0 0	639 0 0	100
Cork,	98	15,114 1 27	11,000 10 0	7,843 4 0	37%
Kerry,	168	2,265 0 00	2,001 0 0	1,887 0 0	98%
Limerick,	80	8,280 1 11	5,078 7 0	5,084 10 0	2%
Tipperary,	188	8,280 1 00	7,084 7 0	5,633 10 10	34%
Waterford,	0	881 0 00	486 0 0	448 10 0	10%
Total,	726	59,582 0 00	50,329 0 7	38,477 10 11	33%
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	278	4,238 1 29	8,188 0 4	3,062 2 0	11%
Leinster,	331	8,033 1 00	7,888 10 0	6,882 0 20	14%
Connacht,	188	4,428 0 00	2,820 10 4	2,814 10 0	10%
Munster,	726	59,582 0 00	50,329 0 7	38,477 10 11	33%
Total,	1,435	63,759 0 00	61,339 10 0	56,423 10 9	10%

FAIR RENT RETURNS—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

VII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed for Leasehold Tenancies by Chief Commission and Sub-Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, and Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average Statute Millions.	Former Rents.	Judicial Rents.	Percentage of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Antrim, . . .	88	4,122 8 38	9,137 18 35	3,680 19 4	58+
Armagh, . . .	18	394 7 5	810 6 5	214 1 0	75+
Donegal, . . .	84	864 6 20	956 6 0	808 9 0	90+
Derry, . . .	94	1,088 1 13	1,776 1 11	1,118 7 0	39+
Down, . . .	99	397 1 8	815 12 0	387 7 0	30+
Fermanagh, . . .	14	1,000 0 17	638 17 0	397 11 0	39+
Londonderry, . . .	94	728 0 08	718 0 0	389 17 18	92+
Monaghan, . . .	91	891 1 18	810 18 0	808 9 0	90+
Tyrone, . . .	88	1,041 0 17	1,011 4 0	688 7 0	32+
Total, . . .	822	18,337 8 14	40,303 18 14	8,129 7 0	52+
LEINSTER:					
Carlow, . . .	47	3,879 0 28	3,775 18 11	1,680 11 0	58+
Dublin, . . .	160	12,055 2 23	6,711 12 4	3,218 12 0	70+
Kildare, . . .	69	7,136 0 18	6,454 1 8	6,077 18 11	60+
Kilkenny, . . .	89	4,241 1 0	4,088 12 2	3,180 0 4	39+
Wexford, . . .	33	1,078 0 28	3,278 18 11	1,080 7 1	18+
Longford, . . .	6	139 1 15	165 0 5	80 8 5	51+
Louth, . . .	—	—	—	—	—
Meath, . . .	19	4,268 3 04	4,088 18 18	4,043 18 0	18+
Queen's, . . .	48	3,840 2 18	3,126 18 0	1,890 18 1	51+
Waterford, . . .	4	618 2 18	388 1 0	388 12 0	18+
Wexford, . . .	131	8,737 0 30	7,487 8 0	5,018 18 1	39+
Wicklow, . . .	33	1,623 1 17	2,354 1 0	1,628 18 0	31+
Total, . . .	473	41,320 1 38	38,208 18 18	20,782 4 0	51+
CONNACT:					
Cavan, . . .	28	1,620 0 0	1,002 8 0	808 5 18	53+
Louth, . . .	80	2,018 0 25	481 18 18	387 11 0	59+
Mayo, . . .	10	1,243 1 04	886 12 4	886 12 0	30+
Roscommon, . . .	128	4,030 0 12	3,178 8 0	3,083 12 0	33+
Sligo, . . .	58	313 2 18	886 8 0	886 8 0	30+
Total, . . .	398	8,038 0 22	8,088 18 0	8,088 4 0	32+
MUNSTER:					
Clare, . . .	62	8,038 1 27	8,047 8 0	1,818 8 1	80+
Cork, . . .	49	4,201 6 0	3,888 17 1	1,871 1 0	56+
Kerry, . . .	18	1,338 0 11	218 8 11	87 9 0	97+
Limerick, . . .	38	4,216 1 0	4,888 0 13	3,288 17 0	30+
Tippenny, . . .	56	3,800 1 01	3,888 12 0	3,887 4 0	50+
Waterford, . . .	94	5,403 1 28	3,888 8 0	3,888 12 0	30+
Total, . . .	317	21,015 8 26	18,818 18 7	13,878 12 0	31+
SUMMARY:					
Ulster, . . .	262	18,337 8 14	40,303 18 14	8,129 7 0	52+
Leinster, . . .	416	41,320 1 38	38,208 18 18	20,782 4 0	51+
Connacht, . . .	226	8,038 0 22	8,088 18 0	8,088 4 0	32+
Munster, . . .	287	21,015 8 26	18,818 18 7	13,878 12 0	31+
Total, . . .	1,485	81,324 8 18	38,308 0 0	35,188 14 0	50+

FAIR RENT BETWEE.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

VIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed for Leasehold Tenancies, by Chief Commission and Sub-Commissions during the period from the 22nd August, 1887, to the 31st March, 1888; and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentages of Reduction made in the former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Percentage of Reduction.
ULSTER:		A. B. P.	A. B. d.	A. B. d.	
Antrim,	1,810	51,070 0 18½	42,000 12 8½	32,010 0 4	38.6
Armagh,	675	6,000 0 00	7,000 0 3	6,000 1 38	18.9
Cavan,	696	54,010 0 18	52,000 18 4½	48,010 0 22	8.9
Donegal,	413	60,000 1 14	55,000 0 15	50,000 0 0	9.1
Derry,	767	12,010 1 00	12,000 18 8½	10,010 18 11	16.7
Fermanagh,	202	3,000 0 31	3,000 0 4	3,000 1 39	38.6
Londonderry,	467	14,000 1 00½	13,000 0 2	10,010 18 38	26.3
Monaghan,	239	7,000 0 12	8,000 1 0	4,000 1 0	50.0
Tyrone,	798	50,000 0 14	37,000 18 5½	28,000 0 21½	35.8
Total,	4,310	174,070 0 47½	145,000 18 4½	106,000 0 24	39.9
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	610	32,000 0 20	30,000 18 8½	22,000 18 3	38.6
Dublin,	619	92,000 0 74	48,000 18 16	38,000 11 6	23.7
Kildare,	812	60,010 1 04	40,000 0 31	30,000 11 4	38.9
Kilkenny,	843	80,000 0 27	80,000 0 3	30,000 1 7	62.5
Laois,	818	22,000 0 22½	20,000 0 1	14,000 0 8	38.6
Longford,	568	10,000 1 00	10,000 11 8	10,000 17 7	38.6
Louth,	442	10,000 0 27	10,000 11 8	10,000 0 0	43.7
Meath,	802	74,000 1 00	50,000 0 43	28,000 0 0	59.4
Offaly,	401	80,000 0 20	20,000 18 18	10,000 18 8	50.0
Westmeath,	816	82,000 1 0	40,000 18 8½	30,000 18 80	18.7
Wexford,	1,019	50,000 0 38	50,000 0 0	30,000 7 38	40.0
Wicklow,	409	60,000 0 20	50,000 11 8	30,000 0 0	43.7
Total,	8,342	361,000 1 0	201,000 18 8½	124,000 18 13	38.9
CONNACTH:					
Galway,	310	20,000 0 37½	15,000 7 54	10,000 0 0	50.0
Louth,	418	22,000 0 18	10,000 0 0	4,000 0 1	50.0
Mayo,	136	6,070 1 05	6,000 12 3	4,000 7 04	38.9
Roscommon,	730	20,000 1 00½	20,000 1 03	10,000 12 0	50.0
Sligo,	485	50,000 0 31½	6,000 12 0	4,000 18 4	38.6
Total,	1,960	90,000 0 94½	55,000 9 11½	40,000 18 0	50.0
MUNSTER:					
Cork,	3,267	40,000 0 38½	35,000 17 8½	30,000 1 8	38.6
Carbery,	2,029	340,000 0 00	387,000 11 4½	360,000 18 8½	18.6
Kerry,	498	40,000 1 00	30,000 0 12	20,000 16 0	38.6
Limerick,	1,209	60,000 0 40	60,000 0 15½	50,000 17 1	38.9
Tipperary,	3,203	80,000 0 20	74,000 0 10	50,000 14 4	38.1
Waterford,	394	30,000 0 0	30,000 0 0	20,000 11 5	38.5
Total,	8,209	464,270 0 49	381,000 18 8½	324,000 18 13	38.9
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	4,310	174,070 0 47½	145,000 18 4½	106,000 0 24	39.9
Leinster,	8,342	361,000 1 0	201,000 18 8½	124,000 18 13	38.9
Connacht,	1,960	90,000 0 94½	55,000 9 11½	40,000 18 0	50.0
Munster,	8,209	464,270 0 49	381,000 18 8½	324,000 18 13	38.9
Total,	23,510	1,294,340 0 97½	1,131,000 18 8½	850,000 18 21½	38.9

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

IX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed, under the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, by Chief Commission and Sub-Commissions during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to 31st of March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acres, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the holdings, and the Percentages of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Acreage. Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Percentage of Reduction.
ULSTER:		A. S. D.	C. S. d.	S. S. d.	
Antrim, . . .	12	416 0 10	470 18 11	217 8 6	51%
Donegal, . . .	1	120 0 05	80 0 0	70 0 0	21%
Down, . . .	1	62 0 02	60 18 0	30 0 0	50%
Monaghan, . . .	6	67 1 14	60 12 0	30 12 0	51%
Total, . . .	18	686 1 15	870 18 11	486 17 0	47%
LEINSTER:					
Dublin, . . .	15	68 0 10	1,007 32 00	749 12 0	25%
Kildare, . . .	2	80 0 0	90 0 0	145 0 0	55%
Longford, . . .	1	85 0 00	37 0 0	31 0 0	21%
Meath, . . .	8	442 0 0	310 16 0	488 0 0	39%
Wicklow, . . .	1	24 1 0	40 0 0	31 0 0	68%
Total, . . .	26	1,241 1 21	1,008 16 0	1,208 17 0	29%
MUNSTER:					
Cork, . . .	8	275 0 0	280 18 22	188 18 0	37%
Kerry, . . .	1	45 0 0	30 0 0	14 10 0	27%
Limerick, . . .	5	247 0 10	211 10 0	230 0 0	27%
Tipperary, . . .	8	325 0 10	300 0 7	277 18 0	44%
Total, . . .	22	1,235 1 00	1,205 0 7	1,208 18 0	28%
SUMMARY:					
ULSTER, . . .	18	686 1 15	870 18 11	486 17 0	47%
LEINSTER, . . .	26	1,241 1 21	1,008 16 0	1,208 17 0	29%
MUNSTER, . . .	22	1,235 1 00	1,205 0 7	1,208 18 0	28%
Total, . . .	66	3,162 1 36	3,083 0 8	3,822 4 0	29%

FAIR RENT RETURNS—TABLES I TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

X.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Originating Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged with the Civil Bill Courts, the Number of such Notices transferred to the Irish Land Commission, the number of Rents Fixed, and of Cases Dismissed, Struck Out, and Withdrawn, as notified to the Irish Land Commission, during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Originating Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged.			Number transferred to Irish Land Commission.		Number of Rents Fixed.		Number of Applications Dismissed, Struck out, and Withdrawn.	Total Number of Cases disposed of.		
	Treaty Tenant.	Leasehold Tenant.		From 1, Sec. 6, Act of 1891.	Treaty Tenant.	Leasehold Tenant.					
		Leasehold Tenant.	Tenant.		Tenant.	Tenant.	Tenant.				
ULSTER:											
Antrim.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Armagh.	—	8	—	1	2	—	2	1	1		
Cavan.	—	231	2	27	168	2	54	55	17		
Donegal.	—	97	2	1	—	—	14	2	4		
Donegal.	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		
Fermanagh.	—	23	6	6	—	—	16	9	14		
Londonderry.	—	22	6	1	—	—	4	4	4		
Monaghan.	—	23	—	8	2	—	4	—	2		
Tyrone.	—	23	8	8	4	1	2	2	14		
Total.	—	488	27	63	383	2	121	133	42		
LEINSTER:											
Cavan.	—	6	—	—	—	—	4	—	1		
Dublin.	—	9	8	—	—	—	—	—	2		
Ellis.	—	24	2	1	1	—	10	2	17		
Ellis.	—	15	8	2	4	—	8	2	8		
Kilkenny.	—	54	5	3	5	2	38	2	56		
Longford.	—	28	4	3	1	—	14	2	12		
Louth.	—	40	—	—	7	—	20	2	38		
Meath.	—	49	19	—	16	1	18	2	40		
Queen's.	—	23	2	2	8	2	7	—	17		
Wexford.	—	24	8	8	22	2	38	2	68		
Wicklow.	—	10	—	—	—	—	2	2	4		
Total.	—	245	19	39	70	4	124	51	34		
CONNACT:											
Galway.	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	2	2		
Limerick.	—	23	3	42	38	2	43	26	61		
Mayo.	—	192	2	—	2	—	318	4	81		
Roscommon.	—	8	—	—	—	1	—	—	4		
Sligo.	—	5	—	—	—	—	3	—	1		
Total.	—	325	13	47	63	4	391	29	111		
MUNSTER:											
Cork.	—	9	—	—	—	—	2	—	1		
Cork.	—	428	123	73	348	42	84	48	13		
Kerry.	—	224	65	26	48	7	121	45	18		
Limerick.	—	147	46	2	48	2	83	18	106		
Tipperary.	—	188	51	2	38	8	64	2	95		
Waterford.	—	23	6	13	30	1	32	—	1		
Total.	—	1,294	245	312	563	71	216	125	78		
SUMMARY:											
Ulster.	—	886	27	58	343	8	151	66	42		
Leinster.	—	740	58	28	88	6	184	52	34		
Connacht.	—	238	11	47	45	4	185	39	88		
Munster.	—	1,294	245	312	563	71	216	125	78		
Total.	—	3,018	337	391	863	54	760	215	244		

FAIR RENT RETURN.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XL.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Originating Notices to fix Fair Rents lodged with the Civil Bill Courts, the Number of such Notices transferred to the Irish Land Commission, the Number of Rents Fixed, and of Cases Dismissed, Struck Out, and Withdrawn, during the period from the 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1883.

Province and County.	Number of Originating Notices to Fix Fair Rents Lodged.			Total Number of Cases.	Number transferred to Irish Land Commission.		Number of Rents Fixed.		Number of Applications Dismissed, Struck Out, and Withdrawn.	Total Number of Cases disposed of.	Number settled.
	Yearly Transfers Act of 1881.	Household Transfers Act of 1881.	Form I. Rec. & Act of 1881.		Yearly Transfers.	Household Transfers.	Yearly Transfers.	Household Transfers.			
ULSTER :											
Antrim.	17	—	6	21	3	—	—	—	—	3	18
Armagh.	33	6	10	46	8	—	32	8	8	46	8
Cavan.	2,210	367	1,055	4,056	1,033	148	1,722	268	220	4,033	387
Donegal.	642	96	42	647	6	—	547	67	52	647	128
Down.	14	4	—	18	1	—	8	4	8	12	8
Fermanagh.	682	37	24	685	187	2	189	31	81	679	81
Londonderry.	216	33	98	474	3	3	660	17	28	941	134
Monaghan.	612	9	68	683	69	—	187	8	44	688	67
Tyrone.	873	97	38	1,047	249	19	301	38	86	248	340
Total.	8,103	456	201	8,500	2,426	181	8,005	572	626	8,447	1,000
LEINSTER :											
Carlow.	40	1	2	45	8	—	8	8	14	31	31
Dublin.	8	4	—	19	3	—	1	—	4	8	8
Kildare.	16	8	25	148	18	3	88	37	28	196	54
Kilkenny.	613	58	36	693	313	10	22	20	8	612	213
Longford.	212	21	59	475	68	4	948	21	73	637	47
Louth.	3,013	146	122	3,056	346	66	228	211	166	3,022	138
Meath.	248	25	—	274	18	8	88	18	28	241	38
Offaly.	754	98	38	1,044	258	100	839	120	21	786	258
Queen's.	122	22	2	240	80	18	21	8	8	20	12
Westmeath.	696	68	112	721	264	38	873	78	68	673	68
Wexford.	133	3	1	217	48	—	8	8	4	84	23
Wicklow.	18	2	8	25	1	—	8	2	11	27	8
Total.	3,844	819	387	4,636	1,001	295	4,045	464	344	4,189	911
CONNACT :											
Galway.	136	2	16	150	3	—	88	8	21	152	17
Litrim.	2,038	110	127	2,213	2,082	40	1,156	88	548	2,147	65
Mayo.	2,123	398	90	2,585	1,160	8	8,440	46	3,002	8,718	136
Roscommon.	1,018	2	6	1,029	210	3	619	3	166	618	149
Sligo.	218	—	1	281	288	—	319	—	28	322	122
Total.	12,919	933	738	12,433	9,265	65	8,819	175	3,202	12,502	510
MUNSTER :											
Clare.	88	1	1	85	20	—	88	2	2	86	85
Cork.	9,230	1,273	359	4,681	815	883	4,681	885	118	8,849	8,089
County.	1,207	367	28	1,172	240	20	883	288	120	1,185	682
Limerick.	877	987	90	1,145	919	88	447	187	128	988	131
Tipperary.	872	87	22	889	79	16	839	81	180	880	179
Waterford.	1,519	393	164	1,689	802	170	428	78	80	1,579	988
Total.	6,515	9,346	872	9,475	7,826	880	2,184	880	638	8,587	8,088
SUMMARY.											
Ulster.	8,243	489	941	7,109	2,078	181	8,066	879	682	8,647	1,018
Leinster.	8,244	858	867	4,908	1,695	568	3,948	644	648	8,185	813
Connacht.	12,948	938	738	11,416	9,265	68	8,446	173	3,002	12,502	118
Munster.	6,518	9,348	873	9,473	8,021	880	2,184	880	638	8,587	8,088
Total.	37,729	10,045	9,473	36,309	8,193	1,392	19,168	1,087	8,208	37,614	5,378

FAIR RENT RETURNS—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed, for Yearly Tenancies, by Civil Bill Courts, as notified to the Irish Land Commission, during the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Average, Former Rents, and Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentages of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average, Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Per-cent of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	—	—	—	—	—
Armagh,	2	28 0 06	27 18 10	22 18 0	20%
Donegal,	60	3,692 1 2	3,677 9 9	3,630 0 0	1.4%
Dunfanaghy,	14	2,685 1 18	1,655 12 1	1,655 1 0	1.1%
Derry,	—	—	—	—	—
Fermanagh,	46	768 0 36	427 4 7	429 1 6	0.1%
Londonderry,	4	28 7 28	26 7 0	26 7 7	1.1%
Monaghan,	4	62 3 28	71 3 2	61 4 0	8.9%
Tyrone,	8	80 3 04	48 3 0	42 18 3	7%
Total,	131	3,623 1 12	1,487 4 4	1,339 8 0	9.7%
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	8	347 0 37	330 18 0	328 18 0	3.6%
Delvin,	—	—	—	—	—
Kildare,	18	427 0 38	357 12 0	370 18 0	16%
Kilkenny,	9	180 2 27	180 18 0	74 8 0	22%
King's,	38	262 3 37	221 9 0	204 14 8	9.1%
Laois,	14	151 2 27	87 18 7	66 3 0	22%
Louth,	16	420 0 38	388 18 7	378 10 0	8.4%
Meath,	18	220 1 12	404 12 0	266 0 2	13%
Queen's,	7	73 6 18	88 7 10	74 18 0	9.1%
Westmeath,	19	784 2 38	564 18 11	424 18 2	11.4%
Wexford,	2	42 9 14	36 3 0	32 8 0	11.4%
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	134	3,803 0 00	2,810 0 1	2,519 10 0	11.7%
CONNACTIC:					
Galway,	—	—	—	—	—
Litrim,	45	768 0 31	580 0 2	188 0 2	81%
Mayo,	120	1,826 2 7	988 14 0	748 2 2	17.2%
Roscommon,	—	—	—	—	—
Sligo,	1	68 3 14	48 0 0	24 0 0	59%
Total,	126	2,000 1 2	1,307 2 10	917 0 2	11.0%
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	1	88 1 0	80 0 0	14 0 0	80%
Cork,	94	6,006 0 0	5,655 18 0	1,866 0 0	31.6%
Kerry,	211	2,587 0 0	2,548 2 6	1,861 2 0	20%
Limerick,	88	3,488 0 0	3,000 0 20	1,792 0 0	42.9%
Tipperary,	64	1,850 0 22	1,816 0 1	1,800 0 18	0%
Waterford,	10	612 0 0	493 7 4	394 0 0	24%
Total,	326	15,477 0 00	12,000 11 4	6,817 0 0	27.6%
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	131	3,623 1 12	1,487 4 4	1,339 8 0	9.7%
Leinster,	134	3,803 0 00	2,810 0 1	2,519 10 0	11.7%
Connacht,	126	2,000 1 2	1,307 2 10	917 0 2	11.0%
Munster,	326	15,477 0 00	12,000 11 4	6,817 0 0	27.6%
Total,	711	25,800 1 00	18,106 7 7	10,665 9 10	26.6%

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents for Yearly Tenancies have been fixed by Civil Bill Courts, as notified to the Irish Land Commission during the period from the 22nd of August, 1881, to the 31st of March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Acreage, Statute Measure.	Former Rents.	Judicial Rents.	Per-cent age of Reduction.					
					A.	S.	P.	A.	S.	
ULSTER:										
Armagh,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Armagh,	96	4,000 2 00	800 16 0	600 12 0	400	12 0	0	400	—	
Cavan,	1,782	80,000 9 0	20,000 16 0	15,000 12 0	10,000	12 0	0	61.8		
Donegal,	247	9,000 2 00	3,000 0 0	2,000 12 0	1,000	12 0	0	60.0		
Donegal,	6	60 0 00	30 0 0	20 0 0	10 0 0	0 0	0	50.0		
Fermanagh,	129	4,000 2 00	8,000 16 0	5,000 7 0	3,000	7 0	0	62.5		
Londonderry,	500	8,000 9 01	2,000 12 0	1,000 3 12	500	3 12	0	50.0		
Monaghan,	127	4,000 2 00	2,000 7 10	1,000 12 11	500	12 11	0	50.0		
Tyrone,	311	8,000 2 00	4,000 12 15	2,000 0 0	1,000	0 0	0	50.0		
Total,	8,902	92,000 2 14	45,276 0 0	31,018 0 0	15,018	0 0	0	59.7		
LEINSTER:										
Carlow,	47	1,000 2 00	200 16 0	100 12 0	50	12 0	0	50.0		
Dublin,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kildare,	65	1,000 2 00	2,000 16 0	1,000 12 0	500	12 0	0	50.0		
Kilkenny,	73	4,000 2 00	2,000 12 0	1,000 12 0	500	12 0	0	50.0		
King's,	246	4,000 2 00	2,000 12 0	1,000 12 0	500	12 0	0	50.0		
Laois,	750	20,000 0 00	10,000 16 0	5,000 7 0	2,500	7 0	0	50.0		
Louth,	46	2,000 2 00	1,000 12 0	500 12 0	250	12 0	0	50.0		
Meath,	230	10,000 2 00	5,000 16 0	2,500 12 0	1,250	12 0	0	50.0		
Wexford,	63	600 2 00	300 0 0	150 0 0	75	0 0	0	50.0		
Westmeath,	875	10,000 0 00	5,000 0 0	2,500 0 0	1,250	0 0	0	50.0		
Wicklow,	3	300 2 00	150 16 0	75 12 0	37.5	12 0	0	50.0		
Total,	1,043	81,001 2 01	46,700 0 01	23,500 1 10	12,500	1 10	0	51.9		
CONNACTRY:										
Galway,	88	2,000 2 00	1,000 16 0	500 12 0	250	12 0	0	50.0		
Limerick,	1,130	30,000 4 00	15,000 17 05	8,000 12 0	4,000	12 0	0	59.0		
Mayo,	2,041	67,001 8 00	33,500 0 0	16,500 6 7	8,250	6 7	0	51.9		
Monaghan,	678	4,000 2 00	2,000 16 0	1,000 12 0	500	12 0	0	50.0		
Sligo,	230	1,000 2 00	500 12 0	250 12 0	125	12 0	0	50.0		
Total,	3,830	105,001 2 00	50,000 0 00	25,000 12 0	12,500	12 0	0	51.0		
MISCELLANEOUS:										
Clare,	39	600 2 00	300 16 0	150 12 0	75 12 0	0 0	0	50.0		
Cork,	836	40,007 4 01	20,000 2 00	10,000 12 0	5,000	12 0	0	50.0		
Kerry,	200	67,001 8 00	33,500 0 0	16,500 6 7	8,250	6 7	0	51.9		
Limerick,	947	27,000 2 00	13,500 12 0	6,750 8 0	3,375	8 0	0	50.0		
Tipperary,	219	8,000 2 00	4,000 16 0	2,000 12 0	1,000 12 0	1,000	12 0	0	50.0	
Waterford,	376	17,000 2 00	8,500 12 0	4,250 8 0	2,125	8 0	0	50.0		
Total,	6,376	105,001 2 01	50,000 0 01	25,000 12 0	12,500	12 0	0	51.9		
SUMMARY:										
Ulster,	2,000	82,000 2 12	45,276 0 0	31,018 0 0	15,018	0 0	0	59.7		
Leinster,	1,918	80,001 2 01	46,000 14 00	23,000 1 10	11,000	1 10	0	51.9		
Connacht,	2,000	105,001 2 00	50,000 0 00	25,000 12 0	12,500	12 0	0	51.9		
Miscellaneous,	4,514	105,001 2 00	50,000 0 00	25,000 12 0	12,500	12 0	0	51.9		
Total,	12,432	300,002 2 01	147,276 0 01	76,036 1 10	39,018	1 10	0	59.7		

* In one of these cases the former rent could not be ascertained.

FAIR RENT RETURNS—TABLES I TO XV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XIV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents for Leasehold Tenancies have been fixed by Civil Bill Courts, as notified to the Irish Land Commission, during the period from the 23rd August, 1891, to the 31st of March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, and Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentage of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	AVERAGE Statute Measure.	Former Rents.	Judicial Rents.	Per-cent age of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Antrim.	—	—	—	—	—
Armagh.	1	14 0 17	18 19 1	18 19 0	55 7
Cavan.	20	258 2 0	484 7 4	874 6 0	56 0
Donegal.	1	43 3 90	54 0 0	54 0 0	33 0
Derry.	1	81 0 18	10 18 1	14 0 1	11 1
Fermanagh.	2	502 0 0	129 19 1	111 0 0	23 0
Londonderry.	4	82 1 10	40 1 1	40 1 0	25 1
Monaghan.	—	—	—	—	—
Tyrone.	1	35 0 0	15 1 1	8 0 0	46 0
Total.	80	1,178 1 83	214 7 1	380 9 0	55 1
LEINSTER:					
Carlow.	—	—	—	—	—
Dublin.	—	—	—	—	—
Ellis.	0	128 0 7	180 0 0	82 17 0	55 0
Kildare.	1	98 0 00	47 0 0	34 0 0	27 0
Kilkenny.	2	118 0 0	98 10 0	82 17 0	20 0
Laois.	0	80 1 10	64 11 4	32 0 0	46 7
Longford.	—	—	—	—	—
Louth.	1	64 1 22	48 10 0	35 10 0	23 0
Meath.	0	608 1 32	608 14 4	329 10 0	29 0
Queen's.	—	—	—	—	—
Westmeath.	3	110 0 0	100 18 10	85 8 0	31 4
Wexford.	0	109 1 10	70 18 0	59 18 0	34 0
Wicklow.	1	60 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	33 3
Total.	81	1,210 0 00	980 10 0	542 4 0	38 0
CONNACTH:					
Galway.	—	—	—	—	—
Leitrim.	46	253 0 41	290 4 4	185 18 0	35 9
Mayo.	4	67 5 5	81 8 4	50 0 0	32 4
Roscommon.	—	—	—	—	—
Sligo.	—	—	—	—	—
Total.	51	448 1 31	323 10 0	178 18 0	31 0
MUNSTER:					
Cork.	—	—	—	—	—
Car.	48	3,612 0 00	1,534 18 1	1,020 9 0	35 8
Kerry.	48	3,638 0 17	3,219 14 00	870 18 0	39 0
Limerick.	19	272 0 0	389 10 0	488 18 0	28 1
Tipperary.	8	409 0 18	346 15 0	827 18 0	19 5
Waterford.	—	—	—	—	—
Total.	117	5,808 0 00	5,369 7 0	5,047 18 0	33 0
SUMMARY:					
ULSTER.	80	1,178 1 83	214 7 1	380 9 0	55 1
LEINSTER.	81	1,210 0 00	980 10 0	542 4 0	38 0
CONNACTH.	51	448 1 31	323 10 0	178 18 0	31 0
MUNSTER.	117	5,808 0 00	5,369 7 0	5,047 18 0	33 0
Total.	318	6,806 0 21	6,207 18 4	6,075 18 0	33 0

FAIR RENT RETURNS.—TABLES I. TO XV. INCLUSIVE.—continued.

XV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents for Leashold Tenancies have been fixed by Civil Bill Courts, as notified to the Irish Land Commission during the period from the 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Average, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Per-cent age of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Armagh.	—	—	—	—	—
Armagh.	6	210 1 0	180 1 0	160 10 0	11.9
Cavan.	218	3,830 0 11	6,834 0 3	3,830 10 4	37.9
Donegal.	47	2,400 0 28	3,310 1 1	1,310 0 19	61.7
Derry.	6	120 0 00	120 1 0	67 10 0	46.9
Fermanagh.	87	207 0 06	237 11 0	190 0 0	20.9
Londonderry.	17	424 0 11	176 0 10	122 0 0	39.5
Monaghan.	8	180 0 15	180 10 0	87 10 0	51.1
Tyrone.	18	350 0 24	370 11 0	410 10 0	8.2
Total.	873	20,630 0 4	27,482 10 0	8,184 3 0	31.4
LEINSTER:					
Carlow.	—	—	—	—	—
Dublin.	1	10 0 00	90 0 0	31 10 0	18.3
Kildare.	87	1,063 0 57	180 27 4	650 0 0	11.4
Kilkenny.	29	1,220 0 84	3,167 11 0	700 10 0	30.9
Longford.	88	2,020 0 60	4,747 1 46	2,020 0 0	51.9
Louth.	151	6,010 0 89	3,440 10 0	3,000 11 0	12.9
Meath.	26	3,010 1 0	3,280 0 13	900 0 0	32.4
Offaly.	133	6,310 0 10	6,700 0 4	2,400 10 0	59.8
Queen's.	8	240 0 14	60 0 0	31 0 0	49
Wexford.	78	6,250 1 08	4,790 0 13	2,500 0 0	30.2
Wicklow.	9	100 1 10	70 10 0	40 10 0	50.0
Total.	494	24,240 0 10	21,210 17 10	11,000 0 0	31.9
CONNACTORY:					
Donegal.	6	200 0 28	180 0 10	87 11 0	18.8
Louth.	66	9,210 1 00	10,864 4 13	6,110 10 0	40.1
Mayo.	66	3,210 0 00	3,004 20 00	1,700 10 0	43.1
Roscommon.	8	90 0 0	65 10 0	47 10 0	12.9
Sligo.	—	—	—	—	—
Total.	471	16,401 1 00	13,140 0 40	8,180 0 13	32.4
MIDLANDS:					
Clare.	9	60 1 00	70 0 0	40 0 0	30.1
Cork.	335	8,650 0 00	20,400 17 4	8,310 1 0	33.6
Kerry.	402	15,250 1 00	20,400 18 10	7,700 10 0	30.1
Limerick.	127	7,210 1 00	8,700 0 00	6,000 10 0	27.3
Tipperary.	81	8,210 0 00	9,167 10 13	4,000 0 0	52.9
Waterford.	79	6,420 0 00	3,007 0 10	1,700 10 0	46.9
Total.	800	35,210 0 00	31,070 14 00	16,100 10 0	31.9
SUMMARY:					
Ulster.	873	35,200 0 4	3,410 0 0	6,500 0 0	20.4
Leinster.	644	24,240 0 10	20,630 17 10	17,482 0 3	32.8
Connacht.	373	16,401 1 00	13,140 0 40	8,180 0 13	32.4
Midlands.	800	35,210 0 00	31,070 14 00	16,100 10 0	31.9
Total.	1,827	95,051 1 00	80,800 0 40	48,362 13 1	31.9

AGREEMENTS FIXING FAIR RENTS.—TABLES XVI. to XIX. INCLUSIVE.

Section 8, sub-section 6, *Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.*

XVI.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Agreements between Landlords and Tenants fixing Fair Rents were lodged with the Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentage of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NUMBER OF AGREEMENTS LODGED.	AVERAGE STATUS MEASURE.	FORMER RENT.	JUDICIAL RENT.	PERCENTAGE OF REDUCTION.				
ULSTER:									
Antrim,	116	3,049 2 87	3,076 29 8	3,076 25 16	18.8				
Armagh,	102	3,193 3 1	3,000 7 81	3,076 28 4	15.7				
Donegal,	122	3,083 2 89	3,033 6 2	3,094 7 6	17.9				
Down,	106	4,144 3 9	3,002 14 7	309 29 1	16.8				
Fermanagh,	879	3,049 6 78	3,036 9 8	3,036 4 1	17.9				
Londonderry,	77	3,069 2 8	312 11 84	317 0 1	15.9				
Monaghan,	123	3,069 8 64	3,036 24 7	3,046 26 3	15.1				
Tyrone,	107	3,041 2 82	3,042 9 8	3,044 3 16	15.9				
Total,	1,879	3,038 2 82	3,036 20 75	3,036 9 12	15.1				
LEINSTER:									
Carlow,	38	3,117 2 33	3,062 20 11	3,064 8 4	17.6				
Dublin,	28	389 4 38	3,094 8 4	3,016 6 6	16.7				
Kildare,	31	3,081 2 18	316 8 11	309 9 6	17.3				
Kilkenny,	336	4,001 1 14	3,068 2 3	3,062 18 8	16.7				
King's,	37	3,038 2 3	3,036 9 3	306 11 3	15.7				
Longford,	60	329 2 28	312 0 8	318 15 7	15.7				
Louth,	27	316 2 21	342 12 6	348 15 9	15.6				
Meath,	65	3,072 9 18	3,023 13 6	3,152 17 4	16.8				
Queen's,	32	3,042 1 1	3,036 9 1	3,037 18 6	15.9				
Westmeath,	31	3,076 0 34	3,036 12 6	3,032 11 3	15.7				
Wexford,	126	3,064 6 22	3,031 13 9	3,036 26 8	15.8				
Wicklow,	128	3,056 3 3	3,048 14 9	3,037 6 4	15.6				
Total,	742	3,034 2 85	3,036 4 3	3,037 14 6	15.6				
CONNACTRY:									
Galway,	42	3,713 3 38	312 8 3	312 25 8	15.6				
Limerick,	78	3,487 2 88	312 1 1	312 0 1	15.8				
Mayo,	102	3,039 1 88	312 7 8	312 20 8	15.8				
Roscommon,	76	3,019 1 16	312 8 1	312 1 1	16.7				
Sligo,	268	4,276 2 38	3,036 12 8	3,036 4 41	16.1				
Total,	614	3,037 1 81	3,036 18 2	3,036 4 75	15.9				
MUNSTER:									
Cork,	37	3,061 0 34	3,036 2 1	312 8 2	16.8				
Kerry,	320	30,327 1 88	3,032 34 8	3,032 18 3	15.9				
Limerick,	26	3,167 2 14	3,034 4 2	3,035 2 2	15.9				
Tipperary,	212	4,162 3 32	3,036 2 8	3,036 6 8	15.7				
Waterford,	100	3,036 2 145	3,036 14 8	3,032 0 8	15.9				
Youghal,	48	3,132 2 28	3,032 0 35	3,032 10 8	15.6				
Total,	612	3,033 2 65	3,032 25 73	3,032 1 2	15.9				
SUMMARY:									
Ulster,	1,478	3,038 2 87	3,036 7 61	3,036 25 6	15.7				
Leinster,	731	3,034 0 62	3,036 4 8	3,037 24 8	15.6				
Connacht,	856	3,038 1 31	3,036 25 8	3,036 3 75	15.9				
Munster,	812	3,038 1 51	3,036 20 74	3,032 1 8	15.6				
Total,	3,437	3,038 2 85	3,036 37 31	3,036 14 51	15.6				

AGREEMENTS FIXING FAIR RENTS—TABLES XVI. TO XIX. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XVII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Cases in which Agreements between Landlords and Tenants fixing Fair Rents were lodged with the Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentage of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Agreements Lodged.	Acreage, Estate Measured.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Percentage of Reduction.				
ULSTER:									
Ardscoil.	8,658	291,810 2 18 <i>1</i>	182,681 0 1 <i>1</i>	136,140 18 7 <i>2</i>	18-8				
Armagh.	4,558	93,215 1 5 <i>3</i>	66,648 4 1 <i>3</i>	51,160 0 0	16-6				
Cavan.	4,071	119,615 2 2 <i>3</i>	85,186 30 7	60,620 14 7	17-9				
Donegal.	6,703	90,146 2 18 <i>3</i>	58,481 7 7	43,243 11 4 <i>3</i>	17-1				
Derry.	30,687	219,923 0 10	180,280 10 0 <i>3</i>	131,813 11 5 <i>3</i>	18-3				
Fermanagh.	3,538	50,317 2 20 <i>3</i>	36,166 0 0 <i>3</i>	28,658 14 18	18-6				
Londonderry.	3,012	114,921 1 18	90,270 0 21 <i>3</i>	68,671 0 23 <i>3</i>	19-2				
Monaghan.	4,215	47,446 3 8 <i>3</i>	36,589 18 6	44,841 27 8 <i>3</i>	17-4				
Tyrone.	5,374	90,714 0 16 <i>3</i>	125,623 12 1	83,873 1 8	13-8				
Total.	81,532	5,407,545 1 80 <i>3</i>	433,611 2 0 <i>3</i>	348,748 18 24 <i>3</i>	18-9				
LEINSTER:									
Carlow.	1,896	48,131 0 7	39,999 18 6	36,920 18 0	18-8				
Dublin.	317	21,146 2 20 <i>3</i>	16,384 4 1 <i>3</i>	13,190 14 0	16-6				
Kildare.	873	44,823 0 1 <i>3</i>	35,995 4 10	26,564 14 0	17-9				
Kilkenny.	1,686	42,648 1 51 <i>3</i>	46,546 18 0 <i>3</i>	31,038 4 0	13-7				
Longford.	778	55,105 2 8 <i>3</i>	38,483 18 10 <i>3</i>	34,331 18 0	19-1				
Louth.	1,067	44,815 2 48	44,278 1 18	27,862 18 1	29-0				
Meath.	1,002	51,214 1 24 <i>3</i>	48,278 11 3 <i>3</i>	31,820 0 7	18-6				
Monk's.	1,056	43,812 0 8 <i>3</i>	43,878 10 4	31,820 0 8	13-9				
Queen's.	1,428	48,812 0 8 <i>3</i>	37,038 10 8 <i>3</i>	36,818 0 2 <i>3</i>	18-1				
Wexford.	1,434	50,816 0 18 <i>3</i>	47,785 10 4 <i>3</i>	44,802 10 4	18-9				
Waterford.	2,210	80,298 1 18	67,068 7 0	46,824 0 8 <i>3</i>	18-1				
Wicklow.	1,634	80,298 0 20 <i>3</i>	67,068 10 24	46,824 10 4	18-9				
Total.	13,721	860,106 2 77 <i>3</i>	848,714 10 8 <i>3</i>	754,894 18 2	17-9				
CONNACTRY:									
Galway.	4,010	34,215 2 4 <i>3</i>	48,148 28 1	38,877 7 7 <i>3</i>	38-9				
Letterkenny.	1,019	73,155 0 8 <i>3</i>	60,178 7 4 <i>3</i>	41,848 11 3 <i>3</i>	18-7				
Mayo.	8,003	218,825 0 4 <i>3</i>	44,772 28 1	41,848 10 3 <i>3</i>	17-9				
Roscommon.	3,885	63,173 3 9 <i>3</i>	40,848 30 6 <i>3</i>	38,802 10 11 <i>3</i>	18-9				
Sligo.	8,875	39,246 2 6 <i>3</i>	48,878 30 8 <i>3</i>	39,847 17 4	18-1				
Total.	30,776	411,815 0 33 <i>3</i>	241,968 7 4 <i>3</i>	176,942 10 8	18-9				
MONSTER:									
Clare.	1,462	48,848 2 28	36,355 11 7 <i>3</i>	34,813 11 4 <i>3</i>	20-9				
Cork.	6,430	262,215 1 18	226,284 7 7	83,870 0 4 <i>3</i>	20-6				
Kerry.	2,082	138,818 0 7	102,382 10 8 <i>3</i>	64,838 10 8 <i>3</i>	21-1				
Limerick.	1,647	40,016 1 18	40,848 10 28	34,814 10 7 <i>3</i>	18-9				
Tipperary.	2,758	65,314 2 10 <i>3</i>	75,287 10 8 <i>3</i>	64,814 9 1	18-6				
Waterford.	1,161	40,212 0 0	48,878 8 7 <i>3</i>	39,847 8 2	18-7				
Total.	19,598	822,218 1 61 <i>3</i>	778,246 10 0	588,886 10 11	18-9				
SUMMARY:									
DONEGAL.	64,657	1,072,545 2 20 <i>3</i>	810,111 7 4 <i>3</i>	728,798 18 8 <i>3</i>	38-9				
LONDONDERRY.	18,612	530,301 7 7 <i>3</i>	406,784 20 8 <i>3</i>	360,864 11 8	18-6				
MONSTER.	90,375	621,024 2 0 <i>3</i>	481,008 6 8 <i>3</i>	173,941 10 5	20-6				
WEXFORD.	12,430	162,819 1 18 <i>3</i>	270,780 12 0	362,869 14 11	18-7				
Total.	213,819	3,946,825 2 20 <i>3</i>	1,808,269 18 11 <i>3</i>	1,612,801 18 8 <i>3</i>	18-9				

AGREEMENTS FIXING FAIR RENTS—TABLES XVI. TO XIX. INCLUSIVE—CONTINUED.

XVIII.—TABLE showing, according to Province and County, the Number of Cases in which Agreements between Landlords and Tenants Fixing Fair Rents were lodged with the Civil Bill Courts, as notified to the Irish Land Commission, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, and also a Summary of the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-cent of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NUMBER OF AGREEMENTS LODGED.	ACREAGE. STATISTICAL MEASURE.	FORMER RENT.	JUDICIAL RENT.	PER-CENTAGE OF REDUCTION.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	—	—	—	—	—
Armagh,	—	—	—	—	—
Cavan,	—	—	—	—	—
Donegal,	—	—	—	—	—
Derry,	—	—	—	—	—
Fermanagh,	2	54 0 32	54 0 0	19 0 0	60 6
Londonderry,	—	—	—	—	—
Monaghan,	40	1,228 0 17	954 13 5	784 0 4	24%
Tyrone,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	47	1,381 0 8	858 18 0	783 0 4	24.6
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	—	—	—	—	—
Dublin,	—	—	—	—	—
Kildare,	1	37 3 1	38 0 10	23 0 0	29
Kilkenny,	—	—	—	—	—
King's,	2	19 2 21	18 20 8	27 0 0	29 Increase.
Longford,	—	—	—	—	—
Louth,	2	350 0 31	245 17 8	200 21 7	77
Meath,	—	—	—	—	—
Offaly,	—	—	—	—	—
Westmeath,	—	—	—	—	—
Wexford,	—	—	—	—	—
Wicklow,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	6	142 2 23	171 22 0	100 31 7	47.4
CONNEMARA:					
Galway,	—	—	—	—	—
Lefrin,	—	—	—	—	—
Mayo,	9	20 0 28	21 10 0	16 0 0	10%
Roscommon,	—	—	—	—	—
Sligo,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	9	61 0 28	21 10 0	16 0 0	10%
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	—	—	—	—	—
Cork,	5	320 0 20	223 0 14	104 20 0	60%
County,	—	—	—	—	—
Limerick,	—	—	—	—	—
Tipperary,	—	—	—	—	—
Waterford,	—	—	—	—	—
Total,	5	320 0 20	223 0 14	104 20 0	60%
SUMMARY:					
ULSTER:	47	1,381 0 8	858 18 0	783 0 4	24.6
LEINSTER:	6	142 2 23	171 22 0	100 31 7	47.4
CONNEMARA:	9	61 0 28	21 10 0	16 0 0	10%
MUNSTER:	5	320 0 20	223 0 14	104 20 0	60%
TOTAL,	99	1,342 0 20	1,260 0 0	1,097 3 31	18.9

AGREEMENTS FIXING FAIR RENTS.—TABLES XVI. TO XIX. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XIX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Agreements between Landlords and Tenants fixing Fair Rents were lodged with the Civil Bill Courts as notified to the Irish Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1883, and also a Summary of the Average, Former Rent, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Percentage of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Agreements lodged.	Average Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	The percentage of Reduction.				
<i>ULSTER:</i>									
Armagh.	3	50 2 8	50 4 8	38 0 0	38 0 0	—			
Carlow.	452	8,781 0 98	6,204 0 10	4,068 10 10	4,068 10 10	38 6			
Down.	28	880 0 28	714 0 1	210 7 0	210 7 0	99 6			
Derry.	8	32 1 27	32 4 3	16 1 0	16 1 0	48 6			
Fermanagh.	28	480 0 28	468 30 3	310 27 0	310 27 0	38 6			
Londonderry.	2	62 1 22	62 4 3	40 38 0	40 38 0	38 6			
Monaghan.	1,088	18,882 0 92	18,882 0 92	10,049 0 0	10,049 0 0	48 6			
Tyrone.	18	768 0 49	738 38 0	310 2 2	310 2 2	38 6			
Total.	2,578	85,187 2 14	70,818 38 7	31,046 4 0	31,046 4 0	38 6			
<i>LEINSTER:</i>									
Carlow.	8	360 0 15	298 20 0	210 10 0	210 10 0	48 6			
Dublin.	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Kildare.	268	48,239 0 38	35,480 4 0	22,232 0 3	22,232 0 3	51 9			
Kilkenny.	2	508 1 0	502 38 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	99 6			
Wexford.	58	1,207 0 502	601 11 4	350 11 3	350 11 3	34 6			
Louth.	32	1,054 0 20	1,100 0 13	603 10 0	603 10 0	12 8			
Meath.	18	600 1 00	440 0 0	600 10 0	600 10 0	10 0			
Offaly.	21	727 0 16	610 0 1	710 0 0	710 0 0	12 6			
Queen's.	25	498 0 0	220 1 0	910 10 10	910 10 10	12 6			
Westmeath.	4	928 0 18	790 0 0	110 10 0	110 10 0	7 8			
Waterford.	4	348 0 00	350 12 0	34 0 0	34 0 0	9 7			
Wexford.	487	44,249 0 93	14,747 00 0	10,030 10 0	10,030 10 0	31 7			
Total.	1,348	71,357 2 12	34,723 0 10	20,312 0 10	20,312 0 10	38 6			
<i>CONNACT:</i>									
Galway.	388	8,539 0 18	1,138 0 18	810 10 1	810 10 1	38 6			
Limerick.	280	3,860 0 23	3,072 0 0	3,072 0 0	3,072 0 0	20 6			
Mayo.	3,087	48,197 0 92	29,258 0 0	18,361 10 4	18,361 10 4	30 2			
Roscommon.	118	4,187 0 28	2,238 2 0	8,000 7 0	8,000 7 0	99 1			
Sligo.	910	8,680 0 78	8,088 0 7	8,284 0 0	8,284 0 0	21 2			
Total.	2,184	60,380 0 76	21,410 0 41	30,378 10 7	30,378 10 7	38 1			
<i>MUNSTER:</i>									
Clare.	8	818 0 28	288 00 0	210 7 0	210 7 0	38 6			
Cork.	979	31,344 0 11	7,490 0 11	3,243 10 0	3,243 10 0	81 4			
Kerry.	62	2,351 0 88	937 4 4	610 10 0	610 10 0	31 6			
Limerick.	38	813 0 18	810 0 0	910 10 2	910 10 2	10 0			
Tipperary.	1	60 1 12	40 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	10 0			
Waterford.	45	1,120 0 13	1,024 04 4	510 10 30	510 10 30	37 0			
Total.	2,188	15,720 0 0	10,080 10 10	8,212 10 7	8,212 10 7	38 1			
<i>SUMMARY:</i>									
Ulster.	8,208	85,187 2 11	70,818 38 7	31,046 4 0	31,046 4 0	38 6			
Leinster.	3,218	71,357 2 12	34,723 0 10	20,312 0 10	20,312 0 10	38 6			
Connacht.	8,084	60,380 0 76	21,410 0 41	30,378 10 7	30,378 10 7	38 1			
Munster.	218	15,720 0 0	10,080 10 10	8,212 10 7	8,212 10 7	38 1			
TOTAL.	21,238	184,215 0 75	75,938 2 8	50,670 4 0	50,670 4 0	38 6			

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ARBITRATOR OF RENTS.—TABLES XX. to XXVII. inclusive.

Section 40.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.*

XX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Rents have been fixed by Arbitration and the Awards recorded in the Court of the Irish Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883, with the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-cent of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases.	Average, Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent fixed by Award.	Per-cent of Reduction.
—	311.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	—

XXI.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Rents have been fixed by Arbitration, and the Awards recorded in the Court of the Irish Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883, with the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-cent of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases.	Average, Statute Measure.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent fixed by Award.	Per-cent of Reduction.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	1	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	—
Armagh,	1	26 2 26	46 12 4	26 22 0	22 1
Cavan,	1	21 1 22	102 11 0	102 11 0	22 7
Donegal,	1	22 2 22	42 0 0	22 12 0	43 7
Total,	3	846 3 22	288 12 0	288 12 0	27 9
LEINSTER:					
Meath,	4	856 0 28	857 12 16	857 12 0	22 9
CONNACTH:					
Galway,	4	312 2 22	82 12 0	82 12 0	20 8
MONSTER:					
Cork,	25	1,127 2 27	1,451 16 1	1,278 16 0	21 7
Limerick,	25	852 0 21	47 9 3	22 6 0	23 6
Waterford,	2	68 2 31	238 17 0	183 0 0	35 8
Total,	52	1,885 2 26	1,885 2 26	1,278 16 0	21 7
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	8	128 2 22	128 12 0	128 12 0	27 9
Leinster,	4	852 0 28	857 12 16	857 12 0	22 9
Connacht,	4	312 2 22	82 12 0	82 12 0	20 8
Monster,	56	1,127 2 27	1,451 16 1	1,278 16 0	21 7
Total,	98	2,112 1 56	2,112 1 56	1,278 12 0	21 7

XXII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Submissions to Arbitration which have been lodged in the Court of the Irish Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions lodged.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions lodged.
ULSTER:		CONNACTH:	
Antrim,	—	Galway,	—
Armagh,	—	Limerick,	—
Cavan,	—	Monster,	—
Donegal,	—	Sligo,	—
Donegal,	—	Total,	—
Fermanagh,	—	MONSTER:	
Londonderry,	—	Cork,	—
Meath,	—	Limerick,	—
Tyrone,	—	Tipperary,	—
Total,	—	Waterford,	—
LEINSTER:		Total,	—
Carlow,	—	SUMMARY:	
Dublin,	—	ULSTER,	—
Ellistown,	—	LEINSTER,	—
Edisbury,	—	CONNACTH,	—
Kerry,	—	MONSTER,	—
Louth,	—	Total,	—
Meath,	—		
Queen's,	—		
Waterford,	—		
Wicklow,	—		
Total,	—		

ARBITRATION RETURNS.—TABLES XX. TO XXVII, INCLUSIVE.—continued.

XXIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Submissions to Arbitration which have been lodged in the Court of the Irish Land Commission during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions lodged.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions lodged.
ULSTER:		CONNACTH:	
Antrim,	2	Galway,	203
Armagh,	2	Limerick,	—
Cavan,	2	Meath,	—
Donegal,	2	Roscommon,	18
Down,	2	Sligo,	18
Fermanagh,	4	Total,	240
Londonderry,	2		
Monaghan,	—		
Tyrone,	33		
Total,	33		
MUNSTER:			
Cork,	7		
Carlow,	81		
Kerry,	—		
Limerick,	7		
Tipperary,	1		
Waterford,	1		
Total,	77		
		SUMMARY:	
ULSTER,	2	ULSTER,	43
LEINSTER,	2	CONNACTH,	203
MUNSTER,	77		
Total,	300	TOTAL,	449

XXIV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Rents have been fixed by Arbitration and the Awards recorded in the Civil Bill Courts, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, with the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases.	Acreage, Status Minimum.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent fixed by Award.	Per-centages of Reduction.
—	—	—	—	—	—

XXV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Rents have been fixed by Arbitration and the Awards recorded in the Civil Bill Courts, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, with the Acreage, Former Rents, Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reduction made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases.	Acreage, Status Minimum.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent fixed by Award.	Per-centages of Reduction.
MUNSTER:					
Limerick,	2	A. H. P. 400 1.24	A. H. P. 400 1.24	A. H. P. 400 1.24	33 3
Total,	2	400 1.24	400 1.24	400 1.24	33 3

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ARBITRATION RETURNS—TABLES XX. TO XXVII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XXVI.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Submissions to Arbitration which have been lodged in the Civil Bill Courts during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions.
ULSTER:			
Antrim,	—	Donegal,	—
Armagh,	—	Louth,	—
Cavan,	—	Mayo,	—
Donegal,	—	Monaghan,	—
Down,	—	Sligo,	—
Fermanagh,	—	Total,	—
Londonderry,	—		
Monaghan,	—		
Tyrone,	—		
Total,	—		
MERSEY:			
Cheshire,	—	Cork,	—
Dublin,	—	Donegal,	—
Galway,	—	Tipperary,	—
Kildare,	—	Waterford,	—
Kilkenny,	—	Total,	—
King's,	—		
Laois,	—		
Louth,	—		
Meath,	—		
Queen's,	—		
Waterford,	—		
Wexford,	—		
Wicklow,	—		
Total,	—		
SUMMARY:			
Ulster, —			
Leinster, —			
Connacht, —			
Munster, —			
TOTAL, —			

XXVII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Submissions to Arbitration which have been lodged in the Civil Bill Courts during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Submissions.
ULSTER:			
Antrim,	—	Donegal,	—
Armagh,	—	Louth,	—
Cavan,	—	Mayo,	—
Donegal,	—	Monaghan,	—
Down,	—	Sligo,	—
Fermanagh,	—	Total,	—
Londonderry,	—		
Monaghan,	—		
Tyrone,	—		
Total,	—		
MERSEY:			
Cheshire,	—	Cork,	—
Dublin,	—	Donegal,	—
Galway,	—	Tipperary,	—
Kildare,	—	Waterford,	—
Kilkenny,	—	Total,	—
King's,	—		
Laois,	—		
Louth,	—		
Meath,	—		
Queen's,	—		
Waterford,	—		
Wexford,	—		
Wicklow,	—		
Total,	—		
SUMMARY:			
Ulster, —			
Leinster, —			
Connacht, —			
Munster, —			
TOTAL, —			

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Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1891, Sections 44 and 47; and Labours Act, 1895, Section 9.

XXVIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Applications for the Re-hearing of Cases heard by Sub-Commissions lodged during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.
ULSTER:				CONNEMARA:			
Antrim,	22	122	86	Galway,	46	27	44
Armagh,	49	88	16	Lettice,	11	12	42
Cavan,	506	488	328	Mayo,	20	47	82
Donegal,	209	148	182	Roscommon,	101	28	94
Down,	58	157	66	Sligo,	6	44	45
Fermanagh,	48	82	46	Total,	310	242	213
Londonderry,	17	8	8				
Monaghan,	111	229	121				
Tyrone,	48	46	41				
Total,	834	754	513				
LEINSTER:				MUNSTER:			
Carlow,	78	105	58	Cork,	180	248	164
Dublin,	23	85	41	East.	148	612	320
Wexford,	23	79	46	Kerry,	101	24	38
Kilkenny,	69	138	60	Limerick,	39	122	134
Wexford,	97	158	46	Tipperary,	82	122	110
Laois,	18	81	48	Waterford,	33	48	35
Louth,	1	88	25	Total,	828	2,268	143
Meath,	284	164	187				
Queen's,	80	89	105				
Westmeath,	10	39	52				
Wexford,	61	88	55				
Wicklow,	50	66	50				
Total,	889	618	724				

XXIX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Applications for the Re-hearing of Cases heard by Sub-Commissions lodged during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893; the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.	Total Number disposed of.	Remaining undisposed of.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	2,162	848	1,154	2,118	48
Armagh,	1,974	616	1,080	1,880	56
Cavan,	722	812	328	740	18
Donegal,	8,601	436	4,028	8,234	72
Down,	1,877	808	387	1,488	41
Fermanagh,	1,086	416	478	606	39
Londonderry,	1,618	918	518	1,107	52
Monaghan,	1,816	601	518	1,298	51
Tyrone,	2,937	926	1,348	2,588	58
Total,	11,185	8,768	6,021	14,733	97
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	618	313	139	446	10
Dublin,	293	318	118	391	31
Wicklow,	848	344	242	656	38
Kilkenny,	894	486	367	610	69
Wexford,	647	294	178	668	18
Laois,	397	391	491	518	34
Louth,	418	298	381	618	8
Meath,	512	367	396	603	55
Queen's,	384	403	365	672	31
Westmeath,	655	288	262	621	6
Wexford,	290	218	617	327	27
Wicklow,	648	368	154	802	38
Total,	7,184	3,772	1,846	4,297	427
CONNEMARA:					
Galway,	1,882	486	589	1,865	48
Lettice,	248	423	466	396	43
Mayo,	629	437	329	644	33
Roscommon,	1,202	237	664	1,231	33
Sligo,	700	423	373	748	28
Total,	5,335	1,748	2,099	5,243	336
MUNSTER:					
Cork,	5,123	2,128	887	5,038	78
Cork,	5,031	2,040	818	5,007	36
Kerry,	1,603	713	618	1,588	184
Limerick,	1,379	740	618	1,369	105
Tipperary,	844	431	468	868	88
Waterford,	826	393	217	488	33
Total,	9,618	4,048	3,616	9,306	418
SUMMARY:					
ULSTER,	25,380	8,783	8,024	14,733	403
LEINSTER,	11,185	8,768	6,021	4,297	363
CONNEMARA,	5,335	1,748	2,099	5,243	348
MUNSTER,	9,618	4,048	3,616	9,306	418
Total,	46,234	18,609	15,337	38,282	1,418

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XXX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Results of Applications for the Re-hearing of Cases heard by Sub-Commissions, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1892, with the Former Rents, Rents as fixed by Sub-Commissions, and Rents as fixed after Re-hearing.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Former Rent.	Rent fixed by Sub-Commission.	Rent fixed after Re-hearing.	Difference per cent. between Sub-Commission Rent and Rent fixed after Re-hearing.
ULSTER.				
Antrim,	2,394 18 2	2,029 8 20	2,021 12 8	Decrease 0 8
Armagh,	369 8 4	151 1 8	148 8 4	Decrease 1 4
Carlow,	1,427 1 7	1,205 18 0	1,218 18 0	Increase 1 4
Donegal,	9,028 1 8	9,019 18 9	9,006 8 1	Decrease 0 9
Down,	2,782 18 0	2,675 18 4	2,646 18 0	Decrease 1 0
Fermanagh,	1,024 18 1	1,009 4 20	1,017 11 8	Decrease 1 0
Londonderry,	22 6 0	18 18 2	18 18 0	Decrease 0 0
Monaghan,	8,206 8 8	8,207 15 8	8,178 11 8	Decrease 0 2
Tyrone,	1,016 2 8	812 8 4	815 21 11	Decrease 1 7
Total,	18,393 1 8	18,318 18 8	18,218 2 8	Decrease 1 0
LEINSTER.				
Carlow,	6,728 6 4	5,386 1 8	4,517 21 8	Decrease 0 7
Dublin,	8,158 19 7	4,716 10 8	4,745 18 0	“ 0 0
Kildare,	8,038 18 4	4,259 8 20	4,256 8 8	Decrease 1 1
Kilkenny,	7,948 8 4	6,894 0 8	6,818 15 6	Decrease 1 0
Wexford,	4,816 8 8	2,835 16 8	2,803 27 8	Decrease 0 8
Louth,	1,018 18 0	746 18 11	756 18 11	“ 1 0
Meath,	6,288 8 8	3,218 11 8	3,000 18 2	Decrease 1 6
Offaly,	18,618 8 8	11,665 6 8	11,182 18 8	Decrease 1 2
Queen's,	8,914 10 4	5,249 18 0	5,166 18 0	Decrease 0 7
Waterford,	5,202 18 7	1,808 18 9	1,817 8 18	“ 0 8
Wexford,	8,804 19 10	4,874 18 0	4,818 18 0	Decrease 0 7
Wicklow,	8,821 8 4	5,089 18 0	5,093 18 0	“ 0 0
Total,	88,093 18 13	48,687 18 11	48,505 8 7	Decrease 1 0
CONNACTURE.				
Galway,	836 9 8	718 0 8	818 18 0	Decrease 0 0
Limerick,	228 1 8	202 10 8	202 4 8	“ 0 0
Mayo,	807 18 16	360 18 8	346 0 8	Decrease 1 0
Roscommon,	2,470 14 8	1,880 8 8	1,848 18 8	Decrease 1 6
Sligo,	1,711 8 18	1,260 8 0	1,260 0 8	“ 0 0
Total,	8,088 18 16	4,181 8 8	4,142 18 8	Decrease 0 6
MUNSTER.				
Cork,	6,879 18 9	4,389 2 8	4,379 18 8	Decrease 0 5
Cork,	20,037 8 18	18,441 17 2	18,409 3 8	“ 0 0
Kerry,	8,329 18 4	5,303 8 0	5,145 18 0	Decrease 1 0
Limerick,	18,241 18 0	11,182 18 8	11,016 8 18	Decrease 0 8
Tipperary,	8,857 18 2	4,858 8 0	4,837 9 0	Decrease 0 0
Waterford,	8,858 18 0	4,268 18 0	4,272 18 0	“ 0 0
Total,	80,218 18 0	48,219 18 10	48,142 3 4	Decrease 0 0
SUMMARY:				
Ulster,	18,393 1 8	18,318 18 8	18,218 2 8	Decrease 1 0
Leinster,	88,093 18 11	48,687 18 11	48,505 8 7	Decrease 1 2
Connacht,	8,088 18 16	4,181 8 8	4,142 18 8	Decrease 1 0
Munster,	80,218 18 0	48,219 18 10	48,142 3 4	Decrease 0 0
Total,	162,680 8 8	100,305 18 1	107,640 18 8	Decrease 0 18

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XXXI.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Results of Applications for the Re-hearing of Cases heard by Sub-Commission, during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883, with the Former Rent, Rent as fixed by Sub-Commission, and Rents as fixed after Re-hearing.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Former Rent.	Rent fixed by Sub-Commission.	Rent fixed after Re-hearing.	Difference per cent. between Sub-Commission Rent and Rent fixed after Re-hearing.
	R. A. £.	R. A. £.	R. A. £.	
ULSTER:				
Antrim,	20,285 1 0	17,613 11 6	27,625 1 0	Decrease 49
Armagh,	18,078 18 5½	16,274 0 0	21,261 18 0	= 23
Carry,	8,035 18 5	6,248 20 0	4,088 10 7	= 53
Donegal,	12,362 18 5½	9,000 17 38	12,183 11 7½	= 12
Down,	51,679 0 10	36,279 22 4	32,048 4 0	= 29
Fermanagh,	8,218 18 0	6,344 7 18	4,056 8 11	Decrease 50
Londonderry,	10,218 16 0	8,012 12 1	10,188 14 4	= 17
Monaghan,	11,268 2 28	9,812 3 18	12,731 12 11	Decrease 94
Tyrone,	18,288 0 0	10,884 6 4	10,022 1 0	= 69
Total,	250,268 11 8½	20,808 10 0	84,826 8 7½	Decrease 69
LEINSTER:				
Carlow,	14,263 0 0	11,238 18 1	11,432 14 7	Decrease 24
Dublin,	18,681 6 0	11,809 11 11	11,939 8 0	= 21
Wicklow,	12,487 18 1	8,954 4 0	8,029 12 4	= 97
Kilkenny,	10,084 0 0	11,239 0 0	10,966 13 19	= 21
King's,	8,738 18 1	7,000 4 0	8,122 12 3	= 378
Longford,	8,767 19 1	6,117 1 0	6,941 8 11	= 19
Louth,	5,259 4 0	7,012 2 10	1,000 17 11	= 178
Meath,	18,082 15 0	21,000 22 11	21,000 0 30	= 91
Offaly,	16,098 28 18	10,486 18 4	11,188 17 0	= 24
Westmeath,	11,142 30 10½	8,000 8 7	8,000 8 4	= 98
Wexford,	19,430 16 0	6,048 1 0	5,488 8 4	= 86
Wicklow,	12,818 8 2	8,387 12 18	10,087 8 0	= 37
Total,	186,017 1 28	100,048 4 18	100,264 18 0	Decrease 21
CONNAUGHT:				
Galway,	18,248 17 5½	8,000 24 0½	8,047 12 48	Decrease 49
Lisburn,	8,000 18 5½	7,412 1 1	11,000 12 11	Decrease 21
Mayo,	8,000 15 11	8,000 24 0	4,152 18 0	Decrease 48
Meath,	8,738 18 5½	7,000 0 0	7,000 1 1	= 93
Sligo,	8,000 0 0	4,212 1 1	8,000 0 0	= 93
Total,	81,000 0 0½	87,010 1 2	81,012 0 1½	Decrease 81
MUNSTER:				
Clare,	20,000 1 10	19,010 37 0	21,200 18 7	Decrease 19
Cork,	86,808 0 4½	86,415 1 0	81,000 11 13	= 24
Kerry,	19,272 14 1	18,237 0 9	15,420 0 1	= 14
Limerick,	38,076 1 0	37,582 18 1	37,000 18 1	= 14
Tipperary,	24,001 0 11	23,322 0 0	24,004 8 7	= 13
Waterford,	14,818 1 0	11,214 16 0	11,278 18 4	= 13
Total,	186,021 0 12	140,804 14 7	141,272 1 1	Decrease 93
SUMMARY:				
ULSTER:	181,602 11 8½	80,808 39 0	84,826 8 7½	Decrease 58
LEINSTER:	180,497 1 29	121,008 4 11	130,268 11 0	= 21
CONNAUGHT:	81,000 0 0½	81,000 7 0	81,001 0 5½	= 93
MUNSTER:	186,021 0 12	140,804 14 7	141,272 1 1	Decrease 93
Total,	510,040 0 41	222,618 28 0	221,300 8 0	Decrease 83

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XXXII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Appeals from decisions of Civil Bill Courts lodged during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.
ULSTER:				CONNACTY:			
Antrim,	1	1	1	Galway,	49	17	15
Armagh,	8	8	1	Louth,	18	18	4
Cavan,	88	88	27	Mayo,	18	18	1
Donegal,	8	10	8	Monaghan,	1	1	1
Done,	1	1	1	Sligo,	—	—	—
Fermanagh,	10	11	2	Total,	16	46	19
Londonderry,	1	1	1				
Monaghan,	8	8	2				
Tyrone,	4	13	4				
Total,	81	108	38				
LEINSTER:							
Carlow,	1	1	1				
Dublin,	1	1	1				
Ellington,	8	16	15				
Kildare,	18	19	2				
King's,	8	16	8				
Laois,	—	—	—				
Meath,	1	1	1				
Wexford,	8	10	8				
Wicklow,	1	1	1				
Total,	40	79	67				
				SUMMARY:			
				ULSTER,	81	108	38
				LEINSTER,	40	79	47
				CONNACTY,	16	46	19
				MONSTER,	901	108	381
				Total,	980	617	558

XXXIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Appeals from Decisions of Civil Bill Courts lodged during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.	Total Number Disposed of.	Remaining undisposed of.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	14	12	2	14	—
Armagh,	14	12	2	11	3
Cavan,	86	102	12	813	82
Donegal,	92	88	27	70	3
Done,	10	8	4	30	—
Fermanagh,	80	94	14	68	22
Londonderry,	204	218	22	180	24
Monaghan,	88	88	22	81	1
Tyrone,	119	117	12	101	29
Total,	840	840	840	833	54
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	2	2	2	2	—
Dublin,	9	8	1	8	—
Kildare,	80	81	14	81	3
Kilkenny,	80	87	17	84	9
King's,	72	62	21	71	3
Laois,	172	166	22	170	—
Meath,	12	8	4	12	—
Wexford,	100	92	81	100	0
Wicklow,	80	72	9	71	11
Total,	818	818	818	813	54
CONNACTY:					
Galway,	6	2	1	2	3
Louth,	266	243	202	240	16
Mayo,	209	209	117	200	4
Monaghan,	54	56	26	54	—
Sligo,	87	88	12	88	—
Total,	706	696	612	693	36
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	38	29	4	24	8
Cork,	636	609	202	602	37
Kerry,	632	112	68	512	62
Limerick,	193	74	10	223	11
Tipperary,	100	47	42	88	12
Waterford,	294	181	82	814	10
Total,	2,480	1,933	487	1,858	363
SUMMARY:					
ULSTER,	81	108	38	81	44
LEINSTER,	40	79	47	40	44
CONNACTY,	16	46	19	16	18
MONSTER,	901	108	381	901	518
Total,	3,643	3,091	1,202	3,238	878

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XXXIV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Results of Appeals from the decisions of Civil Bill Courts during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, with the Former Rents, Rents as fixed by Civil Bill Courts, and the Rents as fixed on Appeal.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Former Rent.	Rent fixed by Civil Bill Courts.	Rent fixed on Appeal.	Difference per cent. between Civil Bill Court Rents and Rents fixed on Appeal.
ULSTER:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Antrim.	—	—	—	—
Armagh.	76 4 13	67 9 0	60 0 0	Decrease 8.6
Cavan.	388 0 7	565 0 0	211 16 0	— 66
Donegal.	600 14 2	284 39 0	589 16 0	Decrease 3.0
Down.	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	— 50%
Fermanagh.	289 12 4	126 0 0	170 17 0	Decrease 39
Londonderry.	2 0 0	0 27 0	4 8 0	— 109
Monaghan.	44 1 0	44 0 0	36 2 0	Decrease 15.9
Tyrone.	282 0 0	281 0 0	279 18 4	Decrease 4.8
Total.	1,483 18 8	1,161 15 0	1,180 18 10	Decrease 9
LEINSTER:	—	—	—	—
Carlow.	—	—	—	—
Dublin.	—	—	—	—
Kildare.	—	—	—	—
Kilkenny.	268 0 0	709 0 0	409 1 0	Decrease 52.8
King's.	283 7 6	280 0 0	266 0 0	— 7.6
Laois.	76 30 0	27 16 0	36 0 0	Decrease 137
Louth.	85 0 0	36 1 0	35 16 0	— 39%
Meath.	3,240 2 0	1,020 10 0	1,020 10 0	— 0%
Queen's.	181 35 0	160 18 0	161 18 0	— 1.1%
Westmeath.	—	—	—	—
Wexford.	81 39 0	84 0 0	26 0 0	— 20%
Wicklow.	—	—	—	—
Total.	8,267 18 0	3,430 10 0	3,810 0 0	Increase 11.9
CONNACTETTE:	—	—	—	—
Galway.	—	—	—	—
Litrim.	681 13 0	382 11 0	129 2 10	Decrease 32.9
Mayo.	380 13 0	388 7 0	325 10 0	Decrease 14.1
Roscommon.	15 0 0	7 10 0	15 0 0	Decrease 67.7
Sligo.	—	—	—	—
Total.	878 4 0	468 0 0	459 17 10	Decrease 2.9
MUNSTER:	—	—	—	—
Clare.	—	—	—	—
Cork.	2,048 2 10	3,804 15 4	1,804 10 10	Decrease 9.6
Kerry.	615 18 0	628 19 0	608 0 0	Decrease 4%
Limerick.	1,402 15 4	1,021 0 0	1,070 11 0	Increase 3.9
Tipperary.	138 16 0	138 0 0	114 0 0	Decrease 16%
Waterford.	665 18 0	420 1 0	376 14 0	Increase 13%
Total.	3,284 6 0	4,295 20 1	4,284 10 1	Increase 0.3
SUMMARY:	—	—	—	—
Ulster.	1,483 18 8	1,161 15 0	1,180 18 10	Decrease 8.6
Leinster.	8,267 18 0	3,430 10 0	3,810 0 0	— 4.3%
Connacht.	878 4 0	468 0 0	459 17 10	Decrease 2.9
Munster.	3,284 6 0	4,295 20 1	4,284 10 1	Decrease 0.3
Total.	31,042 58 1	8,234 17 0	8,468 12 0	Increase 9.1

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XXXV.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Results of Appeals from the Decisions of Civil Bill Courts during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1893, with the Former Rents, Rents as fixed by Civil Bill Courts, and Rents as fixed on Appeal.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Former Rent.	Result fixed by Civil Bill Courts.	Result fixed on Appeal.	Difference per cent. between Civil Bill Court Rent and Rent fixed on Appeal.
ULSTER:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Antrim,	—	27 8 8	27 8 8	—
Armagh,	20 4 28	1,054 11 18	1,054 11 18	Increase 4%
Cavan,	2,024 2 1	—	—	—
Donegal,	620 18 48	789 22 4	789 22 4	Decrease 6%
Derry,	2 2 2	2 2 2	2 2 2	—
Fermanagh,	812 12 8	481 6 6	481 6 6	Increase 7%
Leitrim,	278 2 10	167 18 6	167 18 6	Decrease 4%
Monaghan,	292 8 12	222 8 0	218 7 8	Decrease 2%
Tyrone,	1,056 2 14	1,197 8 10	1,245 2 12	Increase 13%
Total,	8,180 2 8	4,897 12 1	4,794 11 10	Increase 2%
LEINSTER:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Carlow,	—	—	—	—
Dublin,	28 12 6	31 8 6	31 8 6	Decrease 12%
Wicklow,	24 2 4	61 18 0	71 18 0	Increase 13%
Kilkenny,	927 15 2	641 18 6	599 1 6	Decrease 12%
Waterford,	818 2 8	651 6 6	639 0 6	Decrease 2%
Laois,	1,038 9 2	798 1 8	798 1 8	—
Louth,	22 8 8	36 1 6	35 38 0	Increase 10%
Meath,	7,838 10 2	8,029 18 3	8,029 18 3	Increase 2%
Offaly,	208 8 8	461 18 0	374 38 0	Decrease 4%
Westmeath,	896 4 8	865 9 8	839 0 8	Decrease 3%
Wicklow,	31 18 8	64 0 6	58 0 6	Decrease 10%
Total,	11,281 10 8	8,414 8 0	8,029 8 1	Decrease 4%
CONNACTHAR:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Galway,	68 18 8	68 18 8	68 18 8	Decrease 0%
Limerick,	1,183 27 4	792 8 18	770 17 4	Increase 2%
Tipperary,	1,029 18 6	1,029 18 6	1,029 18 6	—
Waterford,	941 4 8	187 14 0	186 18 0	Decrease 2%
Clare,	240 1 8	254 14 0	252 16 0	Decrease 1%
Total,	8,887 18 29	8,197 11 6	8,191 13 6	Increase 2%
MUNSTER:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Cork,	122 18 11	129 11 8	116 8 0	Decrease 3%
Co. Cork,	30,680 12 30	7,460 12 30	7,791 8 1	Increase 4%
Kerry,	5,860 18 8	8,458 8 8	8,637 14 8	Increase 2%
Limerick,	2,687 1 8	2,258 8 8	2,098 17 8	Decrease 6%
Tipperary,	1,188 17 18	1,024 8 8	878 8 8	Decrease 8%
Waterford,	8,889 18 4	8,889 8 1	8,889 17 8	Increase 8%
Total,	88,241 18 8	18,721 8 1	17,384 8 8	Decrease 8%
SUMMARY:	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Ulster,	8,180 2 8	4,897 12 1	4,794 11 10	Increase 2%
Leinster,	11,281 10 8	8,414 8 0	8,029 8 1	Decrease 4%
Connacht,	8,887 18 29	8,197 11 6	8,191 13 6	—
Munster,	84,061 18 8	18,721 8 1	17,384 8 8	Decrease 8%
Total,	45,122 8 1	32,394 14 7	30,304 12 10	Increase 3%

XXXVI.—TABLE showing, according to Unions and Counties, the Number of Appeals Lodged during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1893, from the Decisions of Sub-Commissions, under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883; the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

POOR LAW UNION.	County.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.
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XXXVII.—TABLE showing, according to Unions and Counties, the Number of Appeals Lodged from the passing of the Labourers Act, 1883, up to 31st March, 1893, from Decisions of Sub-Commissions under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883-4, the Number Heard, and the Number Withdrawn.

POOR LAW UNION.	County.	Number of Appeals Lodged.	Number Heard.	Number Withdrawn.
Tyrone,	Monk.,	1	—	—
Donegal,	Kerry.,	8	8	—
Donegal,	Louth.,	2	2	—
Donegal,	Monk.,	2	2	—
Donegal,	Clare.,	1	1	—
Donegal,	Kilkenny.,	4	4	—
Total,	—	18	18	4

LABOURERS' COTTAGES, &c.—TABLES XXXVIII. AND XXXIX.

Section 19.—Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.

XXXVIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Orders have been made by Sub-Commissioners respecting Labourers' Cottages and Allotments during the period from the 22nd of August, 1881, to the 31st of March, 1883.

Province and County.	Number of Cases.	Province and County.	Number of Cases.		
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	—	Connacht:			
Armagh,	—	Galway,	1		
Cavan,	—	Laois,	—		
Donegal,	—	Mayo,	—		
Down,	—	Monaghan,	1		
Fermanagh,	—	Sligo,	—		
Londonderry,	—	Total,	2		
Monaghan,	—				
Tyrone,	—	MUNSTER:			
Total,	—	Clare,	—		
		Cork,	—		
		Donegal,	—		
		Tipperary,	—		
		Waterford,	—		
		Total,	—		
LABOURERS:					
Cavan,	—	SUMMARY:			
Dublin,	—	Ulster,	—		
Galway,	—	Labourers,	—		
Kildare,	—	Connacht,	2		
Limerick,	—	Munster,	—		
Meath,	—	Total,	2		
Queen's,	—				
Waterford,	—				
Wexford,	—				
Wicklow,	—				
Total,	—				

XXXIX.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Orders have been made by Sub-Commissioners respecting Labourers' Cottages during the period from the 22nd August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1883.

Province and County.	Number of Cases.	Province and County.	Number of Cases.		
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	8	Connacht:			
Armagh,	6	Galway,	18		
Cavan,	28	Laois,	8		
Donegal,	28	Mayo,	6		
Down,	8	Monaghan,	8		
Fermanagh,	28	Sligo,	6		
Londonderry,	8	Total,	62		
Monaghan,	4				
Tyrone,	48	MUNSTER:			
Total,	162	Clare,	86		
		Cork,	239		
		Donegal,	21		
		Tipperary,	89		
		Waterford,	87		
		Total,	481		
LABOURERS:					
Cavan,	16	SUMMARY:			
Dublin,	2	Ulster,	162		
Kildare,	8	Labourers,	164		
Limerick,	8	Connacht,	36		
Waterford,	6	Munster,	481		
Wexford,	12	Total,	621		
Wicklow,	12				
Total,	166				

JUDICIAL LEASER.—TABLES XL TO XLIII. INCLUSIVE.

Section 10.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.*

XL.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Land Commission to sanction Judicial Leases Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Leases sealed.
ULSTER:		
Down,	—	1
Total,	—	1
LEINSTER:		
Carlow,	1	2
Dublin,	1	—
Kildare,	1	—
Meath,	—	—
Wicklow,	—	—
Total,	3	3
MUNSTER:		
Cork,	2	2
Tipperary,	2	2
Total,	4	4
SUMMARY:		
ULSTER:		
Lisburn,	—	1
Down,	1	1
Total,	1	1
LEINSTER:		
Carlow,	1	2
Dublin,	—	—
Kildare,	—	—
Meath,	—	—
Wicklow,	—	—
Total,	1	2
MUNSTER:		
Cork,	2	2
Tipperary,	2	2
Total,	4	4

XLI.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Land Commission to sanction Judicial Leases Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period from 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Leases sealed.
ULSTER:		
Antrim,	1	1
Cavan,	4	2
Tyrone,	4	4
Total,	9	7
LEINSTER:		
Carlow,	8	8
Dublin,	4	3
Kildare,	2	2
Meath,	2	2
Wicklow,	2	2
Longford,	1	1
Louth,	2	2
Offaly,	2	2
Tipperary,	7	6
Waterford,	2	2
Wexford,	2	1
Total,	39	45
MUNSTER:		
Waterford,	8	8
Total,	8	8
SUMMARY:		
ULSTER:		
Lisburn,	2	2
Down,	18	18
Total,	20	20
LEINSTER:		
Carlow,	8	8
Dublin,	47	31
Kildare,	22	1
Meath,	7	8
Wicklow,	61	27
Longford,	2	4
Total,	159	111
MUNSTER:		
Carlow,	8	8
Tipperary,	21	21
Waterford,	12	12
Total,	31	31
SUMMARY:		
ULSTER:		
Lisburn,	2	2
Down,	18	18
Total,	20	20
LEINSTER:		
Carlow,	8	8
Dublin,	47	31
Kildare,	22	1
Meath,	7	8
Wicklow,	61	27
Longford,	2	4
Total,	159	111
MUNSTER:		
Carlow,	8	8
Tipperary,	21	21
Waterford,	12	12
Total,	31	31

JUDICIAL LEASES—TABLES XL TO XLIII, INCLUSIVE—continued.

XLII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Civil Bill Courts to sanction Judicial Leases Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Leases sealed.
Nil.	Nil.	Nil.

XLIII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Civil Bill Courts to sanction Judicial Leases Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Leases sealed.	Dismissed, or struck out.
ULSTER:			
Antrim, . . .	19	—	—
Total, . . .	19	—	—
LEINSTER:			
Kildare, . . .	1	—	—
King's, . . .	8	—	—
Total, . . .	9	—	—
MUNSTER:			
Cork, . . .	21	1	—
Carlow, . . .	1	—	—
Limerick, . . .	1	1	—
Tipperary, . . .	2	—	2
Waterford, . . .	1	1	—
Total, . . .	25	3	2
SUMMARY.			
ULSTER, . . .	19	—	—
LEINSTER, . . .	9	—	—
MUNSTER, . . .	25	3	2
Total, . . .	54	3	2

FIXED TENANCIES—TABLES XLIV. TO XLVII. INCLUSIVE.

Section 11.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1891.*

XLIV.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Land Commission to sanction Fixed Tenancies Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number sealed.
LEINSTER:		
Kildare, . . .	—	1
Louth, . . .	1	—
Total, . . .	1	1
MUNSTER:		
Limerick, . . .	1	—
Tipperary, . . .	7	1
Total, . . .	8	1
SUMMARY.		
LEINSTER, . . .	1	1
MUNSTER, . . .	8	1
Total, . . .	9	2

FIXED TENANCIES—TABLES XLIV. to XLVII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XLV.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Land Commission to sanction Fixed Tenancies Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Number sealed.	PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Number sealed.
ULSTER:			MUNSTER:		
Armagh,	6	3	Cork,	2	2
Down,	4	—	Limerick,	3	3
Londonderry,	3	—	Tipperary,	18	11
Tyrone,	2	2	Total,	28	16
Total,	15	7			
LEINSTER:			SUMMARY:		
Kildare,	2	2	ULSTER,	17	7
King's,	18	—	LEINSTER,	27	9
Louth,	2	1	MUNSTER,	2	2
Wicklow,	3	—	Total,	26	18
Total,	37	9			
CONNACTY:					
Galway,	1	1			
Hazardeen,	1	—			
Sligo,	1	—			
Total,	3	1			

XLVI.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Civil Bill Courts to sanction Fixed Tenancies Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Number sealed.
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XLVII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Civil Bill Courts to sanction Fixed Tenancies Received, with the Number Sealed, during the period 22nd August, 1881, to 31st March, 1883.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Number sealed.
ULSTER:		
Antrim,	3	—
Donegal,	1	—
Total,	4	—
SUMMARY:		
ULSTER,	4	—
Total,	4	—

Total effect of the Land Law (Ireland) Acts, 1881 and 1887, and the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, on the Rental of Ireland.

XLVIII.—TABLE showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed by all the Methods provided by the Land Law (Ireland) Acts, 1881 and 1887, and the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, during the period from the 21st August, 1881, to the 31st March, 1893; and also a Summary of the Acreages, Former Rents, and the Judicial Rents of the Holdings, and the Per-centages of Reductions made in the Former Rents.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Cases in which Judicial Rents have been fixed.	Average Gross Acreage.	Former Rent.	Judicial Rent.	Per- centage of Reduction.
CLERKENWELL.		A. S. P.	A. S. P.	A. S. P.	
Ardscoil.	14,799	£81,190 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	289,184 0 00	£48,820 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	33.7
Armagh.	13,931	289,887 0 00	289,887 0 00	289,887 0 00	0.0
Cavan.	13,181	265,232 0 00	265,232 0 00	265,232 0 00	0.0
Donegal.	18,820	192,830 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	175,860 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	143,820 0 00	23.5
Down.	18,047	244,187 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	244,187 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	244,187 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Fermanagh.	8,047	210,789 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	210,789 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	210,789 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Londonderry.	13,018	182,693 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	182,693 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	182,693 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Monaghan.	13,045	210,298 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	210,298 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	210,298 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Tyrone.	18,294	249,827 0 00	249,827 0 00	249,827 0 00	0.0
Total.	135,491	1,330,701 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,330,603 0 00	1,330,603 0 00	0.0
LEINSTER.					
Carlow.	9,269	110,939 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	98,470 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	73,362 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	29.5
Dublin.	12,215	16,394 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	16,394 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	16,394 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Kildare.	12,682	176,831 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	166,831 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	162,831 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	17.9
Kilkenny.	4,709	210,218 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	204,703 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	202,201 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1.7
Longford.	3,281	124,037 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	124,037 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	124,037 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Louth.	8,618	130,738 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	120,737 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	94,211 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	23.6
Meath.	9,940	98,440 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	121,487 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	89,399 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	29.7
Offaly.	4,038	100,132 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	206,797 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	129,783 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	38.8
Queen's.	9,848	148,181 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	138,184 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	99,404 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	39.3
Waterford.	4,218	127,036 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	125,786 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	129,030 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	12.5
Wexford.	8,748	100,941 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	127,729 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	104,469 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	23.9
Wicklow.	8,484	211,837 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	189,931 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	124,889 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	39.5
Total.	61,137	1,070,740 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,018,708 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	720,730 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	30.7
CONNACTURE.					
Galway.	16,338	£84,784 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	270,714 00 <i>1/2</i>	£80,800 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	22.6
Louth.	5,897	264,848 0 00	264,848 0 00	264,848 0 00	0.0
Mayo.	20,212	488,442 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	395,446 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	186,842 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	32.6
Roscommon.	11,719	281,046 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	281,046 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	281,046 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.0
Sligo.	9,843	212,812 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	210,728 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	86,820 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	30.8
Total.	87,220	1,481,660 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,338,224 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	896,848 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	21.4
MUNSTER.					
Clare.	9,574	110,909 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	160,917 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	148,400 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	29.9
Cork.	22,229	273,005 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	182,946 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	670,427 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	21.6
Donegal.	8,547	274,004 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	180,404 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	182,200 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	20.9
Limerick.	8,306	185,909 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	162,793 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	180,820 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	20.5
Tipperary.	8,899	297,218 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	264,707 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	260,800 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	8.9
Waterford.	3,379	310,207 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	146,905 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	127,020 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	31.2
Total.	65,379	2,798,559 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	2,107,107 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	2,311,920 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	22.2
SUMMARY.					
BUCKS.	129,418	9,380,751 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,300,183 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,307,006 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	19.4
LEICESTER.	49,015	2,113,810 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	2,019,800 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	2,017,010 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	0.9
COVENTRY.	67,518	1,305,010 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	793,000 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	696,606 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	11.6
MURKIN.	49,010	1,301,410 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,187,007 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	1,311,810 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	22.2
TOTAL.	265,041	5,696,141 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	3,877,007 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	4,205,212 0 00 <i>1/2</i>	22.7

In addition to the above there were 120 Judicial Leases sealed, amounting 1,000,000 relating to 27,227 acre 00*1/2*, and 22 Fixed Tenures extinguished, with rents £1,077 00*1/2* 00*1/2*. They could not be included in the table as the former rents were in most cases not given.

DECLARING LEASES VOID.—TABLES XLIX. AND L. INCLUSIVE.

Section 21.—*Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881.**

XLIX.—Table showing the NUMBER of APPLICATIONS to the Land Commission to declare Leases void received with the number disposed of during the Seven Years ended 21st August, 1888.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Leases declared void.	Number of Applications disposed of, or returned.	Number of Applications withdrawn or otherwise disposed of.	Number of Applications pending.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	81	1	69	59	-
Armagh,	19	1	6	-	-
Cavan,	10	-	7	3	-
Donegal,	3	-	1	-	-
Derry,	4	-	2	2	-
Fermanagh,	7	-	3	3	-
Londonderry,	8	-	8	2	-
Monaghan,	1	-	1	-	-
Tyrone,	38	-	21	6	-
Total,	129	2	88	88	-
LEINSTER:					
Cork,	18	2	8	13	-
Dublin,	63	18	34	18	-
Waterford,	65	2	47	18	-
Carlow,	40	-	40	8	-
King's,	24	-	12	9	-
Longford,	8	-	4	3	-
Louth,	11	1	8	4	-
Meath,	40	8	13	30	-
Queen's,	27	-	20	7	-
Westmeath,	7	-	6	0	-
Wexford,	7	2	6	1	-
Wicklow,	27	-	6	21	-
Total,	318	21	188	218	-
CONSTITUTED:					
Galway,	119	2	89	89	-
Limerick,	8	2	1	0	-
Mayo,	6	-	6	-	-
Roscommon,	10	-	11	8	-
Sligo,	18	0	10	18	-
Total,	219	1	87	108	-
MERIDIAN:					
Cavan,	203	15	76	12	-
Donegal,	59	10	22	20	-
Kerry,	208	6	120	96	-
Limerick,	205	22	80	125	-
Tipperary,	59	-	27	0	-
Waterford,	21	1	11	0	-
Total,	813	100	383	198	-
TOTAL FOR IRELAND.	1,419	129	691	617	-

* The time for receiving applications under this section expired in February, 1882.

DECLARING LEASES VOID.—TABLES XLIX. AND L. INCLUSIVE—continued.

L.—TABLE showing number of applications to the Civil Bill Courts to declare Leases void, received, with the number disposed of during the seven years ended 31st August, 1888.*

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Number of Leases declared void	Number of applications dismissed or struck out.	Number of applications withdrawn or compromised.	Number of applications pending.
ULSTER:					
Tyrone, . . .	2	—	2	—	—
LEINSTER:					
Kilkenny, . . .	1	—	—	1	—
CONNAUGHT:					
Mayo, . . .	14	—	2	12	—
MUNSTER:					
Waterford, . . .	6	4	—	2	—
SUMMARY.					
Ulster, . . .	2	—	2	—	—
Leinster, . . .	1	—	—	1	—
Connaught, . . .	14	—	2	12	—
Munster, . . .	6	4	—	2	—
Total, . . .	23	4	4	15	—

* See Note in Table XLIX.

COURT OF THE LAND COMMISSION IN DUBLIN.

LL.—TABLE showing the Number of Motions and Applications disposed of in Court under the Land Law (Ireland) Acts, 1881 and 1887, the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, and the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1892.

Land Law Acts—

Motions disposed of by Final Orders,	53
Motions ex parte disposed of by Interlocutory Orders and directions,	781
Motions on Notice disposed of by Interlocutory Orders and directions,	427
Total,	1,260
Side Bar Orders by Registrar during same period,	3,450

LIL.—TABLE showing the Number of Motions and Applications disposed of by the Court in Chamber under the Land Law (Ireland) Acts, 1881 and 1887, the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, and the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1892, during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

Land Law Acts—			
Rents fixed in Leasehold cases—where parties consent,			225
Do. in cases of Yearly Tenancies,			13
Labourers Acts—			
Motions disposed of by Interlocutory and Final Orders and directions,			1,035
			1,273

LIII.—TABLE showing the proceedings under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1853 to 1892, from the 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

LIV.—TABLE showing the Proceedings under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1892, during the period ended 31st March, 1893.

APPLICATIONS TO SET ASIDE LEASES OR GRANTS.

Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887, Sec. 2.

TABLES LV. to LVIII, inclusive.

LV.—Table showing the Number of Applications by Lessee or Grantee to the Land Commission to have Lease or Grant executed since 1st January, 1889, declared void (Form 80), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declared void.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	+	+	1	+	+
Tipperary,	+	+	+	+	1
Total,	+	+	1	+	1

LVI.—Table showing the Number of Applications by Lessee or Grantee to the Land Commission to have Lease or Grant executed since 1st January, 1889, declared void (Form 80), during the period 22nd August, 1887, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declared void.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	19	11	4	2	+
Donegal,	1	+	1	+	+
Donegal,	0	+	0	+	+
Fermanagh,	1	+	1	+	+
Tyrone,	1	1	+	+	+
Total of Ulster,	30	22	11	5	+
LEINSTER:					
Dublin,	1	+	0	+	+
Wexford,	1	+	1	+	+
Total of Leinster,	2	2	1	2	+
CONNAUGHT:					
Galway,	1	+	1	+	+
Mayo,	0	+	0	+	+
Roscommon,	0	+	0	+	+
Total of Connacht,	1	1	1	1	+
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	0	+	0	+	+
Tipperary,	0	+	0	1	1
Total of Munster,	0	+	0	1	1
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	58	33	29	8	1

APPLICATIONS TO SET ASIDE LEASES OR GRANTS.—
TABLE LV. to LVIII INCLUSIVE—continued.

LVII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications to the Civil Bill Courts to have Lease or Grant executed since 1st January, 1869, declared void (Form 80), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declared void.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
N.I.	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

LVIII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Lessee or Grantee to the Civil Bill Courts to have Lease or Grant executed since the 1st January, 1869, declared void (Form 80), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declared void.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
Ulster					
Antrim,	3	—	3	—	—
Londonderry,	1	—	1	—	—
Total of Ulster,	4	—	4	—	—
Connacht					
Mayo,	3	—	3	—	—
Total of Connacht,	3	—	3	—	—
Total of Ireland,	6	—	6	—	—

LESSEES DECLARED PRESENT TENANTS.
Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887, Sec. 1.
 TABLES LIX. to LXII, inclusive.

LIX.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Leaseholders to the Land Commission to be declared Tenants of present tenancies (Form 81), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY,	Number of applications received.	Declared present tenant.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
Ulster:					
Antrim,	1	1	1	1	1
Armagh,	1	1	1	1	1
Cavan,	3	3	1	1	1
Donegal,	1	1	1	1	1
Down,	1	1	1	1	1
Fermanagh,	1	1	1	1	1
Londonderry,	3	3	3	1	1
Monaghan,	1	1	1	1	1
Tyrone,	1	1	1	1	1
Total of Ulster,	8	7	3	3	1
Leinster:					
Carlow,	4	3	1	1	1
Dublin,	2	2	1	1	1
Kildare,	1	1	1	1	1
Kilkenny,	7	6	1	1	1
King's,	1	1	1	1	1
Longford,	1	1	1	1	1
Louth,	1	1	1	1	1
Meath,	3	3	1	1	1
Offaly,	1	1	1	1	1
Westmeath,	3	3	1	1	1
Wexford,	1	1	1	1	1
Wicklow,	1	1	1	1	1
Total of Leinster,	14	10	4	4	4
Connacht:					
Galway,	3	3	1	1	1
Leitrim,	1	1	1	1	1
Mayo,	1	1	1	1	1
Roscommon,	1	1	1	1	1
Sligo,	1	1	1	1	1
Total of Connacht,	1	1	1	1	1
Munster:					
Clare,	1	1	1	1	1
Cork,	1	1	1	1	1
Kerry,	9	9	1	1	1
Limerick,	1	1	1	1	1
Tipperary,	9	9	1	1	1
Waterford,	1	1	1	1	1
Total of Munster,	4	4	1	1	1
Total of Ireland,	37	26	1	1	7

LESSERS DECLARED PRESENT TENANTS.—TABLES LX. TO LXII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LX.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Leaseholders to the Land Commission to be declared Tenants of present tenancies (Form 81) during the period 22nd August, 1887, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declar'd present tenants.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	212	189	—	—	—
Armagh,	8	8	—	—	—
Cavan,	114	104	—	8	—
Donegal,	1	1	—	—	—
Donegal,	97	96	—	1	2
Fermanagh,	8	—	—	2	—
Londonderry,	18	14	2	1	—
Monaghan,	1	1	—	—	—
Tyrone,	6	6	—	—	—
Total of Ulster, . . .	389	360	8	8	4
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	87	68	2	3	2
Dublin,	37	24	8	3	—
Kildare,	8	8	—	—	—
Kilkenny,	87	64	2	—	8
King's,	8	8	—	—	—
Longford,	10	10	—	—	—
Louth,	1	1	—	—	—
Meath,	37	18	2	—	—
Queen's,	8	8	—	1	—
Westmeath,	10	10	—	—	—
Wexford,	36	29	2	3	—
Wicklow,	20	18	2	1	—
Total of Leinster, . . .	450	366	7	6	4
CONNEMARA:					
Galway,	8	8	2	—	—
Lettin,	1	1	—	—	—
Mayo,	8	8	—	—	—
Roscommon,	8	8	2	—	—
Sligo,	—	—	—	—	—
Total of Connemara, . . .	34	31	2	—	1
MUNSTER:					
Clare,	—	—	—	—	—
Cork,	247	141	8	6	1
Kerry,	10	10	—	—	—
Limerick,	18	18	6	2	—
Tipperary,	11	10	2	—	—
Waterford,	3	3	—	—	—
Total of Munster, . . .	342	216	4	6	1
TOTAL OF IRELAND.	1,088	884	16	37	7

LXI.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Leaseholders to the Civil Bill Courts to be declared Tenants of present Tenancies (Form 81), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of applications received.	Declar'd present tenants.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
MUNSTER:					
Cork,	—	—	—	—	1
Total,	—	—	—	—	1

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LESSEES DECLARED PRESENT TENANTS.—TABLES LX. TO LXII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Leaseholders to the Civil Bill Courts to be declared Tenants of present Tenancies (Form 81), during the period 22nd August, 1887, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Number of applications received.	Declared present Tenants.	Dismissed or struck out.	Withdrawn.	Number of applications pending.
CONNACTHET: Mayo.	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL.	1	1	1	1	1
MIDDLESEX: Cork.	2	2	2	2	2
TOTAL.	2	2	2	2	2
TOTAL OF IRELAND.	3	3	3	3	3

SURRENDER OF HOLDING BY MIDDLEMAN.

Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1887, Sec. 8.

TABLES LXIII to LXVI, inclusive.

LXIII.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Middleman to the Land Commission, claiming to be entitled to surrender his Holding (Form 83), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Applications transferred from Civil Bill Courts.	Total.	Applications granted.	Applications dismissed or struck out.	Applications withdrawn.	Number of Applications pending.
ULSTER: Fermanagh.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF ULSTER.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
MIDDLESEX: Kildare.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF LEINSTER.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CONNACTHET: Mayo.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF CONNACTHET.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF IRELAND.	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

LXIV.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Middleman to the Land Commission, claiming to be entitled to surrender his Holding (Form 83), during the period 22nd August, 1897, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Applications transferred from Civil Bill Courts.	Total.	Applications granted.	Applications dismissed or struck out.	Applications withdrawn.	Number of Applications pending.
ULSTER: Antrim.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fermanagh.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF ULSTER.	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
MIDDLESEX: Kildare.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Kilkenny.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF LEINSTER.	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
CONNACTHET: Galway.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mayo.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF CONNACTHET.	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
MIDDLESEX: Cork.	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Waterford.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL OF MIDDLESEX.	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
TOTAL OF IRELAND.	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

SURRENDER OF HOLDING BY MIDDLEMAN.—TABLES LXIII. TO LXVI. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXV.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Middleman to the Civil Bill Courts claiming to be entitled to surrender his Holding (Form 83), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Applications transferred from the Civil Bill Courts.	Total.	Applications granted.	Applications dismissed or struck out.	Applications withdrawn.	Number of Applications pending.
LEINSTER:							
Kilkenny,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Carlow,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Wicklow,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Total of Leinster,	3	3	6	3	3	0	0
CONNACTHT:							
Laois,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Total of Connacht,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
MUNSTER:							
Cork,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Waterford,	1	1	2	1	1	0	0
Total of Munster,	2	2	4	2	2	0	0
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	6	6	12	6	6	0	0

LXVI.—TABLE showing the Number of Applications by Middleman to the Civil Bill Courts claiming to be entitled to surrender his Holding (Form 83), during the period 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCES AND COUNTIES.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Applications transferred from Civil Bill Courts.	Applications granted.	Applications dismissed or struck out.	Applications withdrawn.	Number of Applications pending.
ULSTER:						
Antrim,	2	1	1	1	0	0
Total of Ulster,	2	1	1	1	0	0
LEINSTER:						
Kilkenny,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Kilkenny,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Kilkenny,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Carlow,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Wicklow,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Total of Leinster,	5	5	5	5	0	0
CONNACTHT:						
Laois,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Mayo,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Total of Connacht,	2	2	2	2	0	0
MUNSTER:						
Cork,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Limerick,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Waterford,	1	1	1	1	0	0
Total of Munster,	3	3	3	3	0	0
TOTAL OF IRELAND,	10	10	10	10	0	0

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1895.—TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE.

LXVII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans applied for, the Number of Estates, and the Total Acresage, and Rental of the holdings embodied in the applications, also the Total Purchase-money agreed upon, and the Amount of Loans applied for, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY,	Number of Loans.	Number of Estates embraced in Applica- tions.	Acreage in Hectare Measures.	Rent. £	Purchase- money agreed upon.	Amount of Loans Applied for.
ULSTER:						
Antrim, . . .	64	5	1,579 0 00	2,000 10 35	52,915	51,612
Armagh, . . .	6	2	28 0 00	55 4 0	1,678	1,692
Cavan, . . .	3	2	32 0 24	102 0 0	1,588	1,592
Donegal, . . .	59	5	1,800 0 00	715 4 4	12,210	12,210
Derry, . . .	101	9	1,680 0 12	1,700 0 11	54,614	54,614
Fermanagh, . .	1	1	12 0 00	8 10 0	148	148
Londonderry, . .	2	2	127 0 00	380 0 0	5,218	5,218
Monaghan, . .	18	1	390 0 04	248 10 7	2,453	2,453
Tyrone, . . .	10	2	212 0 2	180 9 1	5,340	5,340
Total, . . .	255	28	1,971 0 00	4,748 1 33	81,875	81,875
LEINSTER:						
Carlow, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Debbit, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kildare, . . .	18	1	1,007 0 00	550 10 0	5,155	5,155
Kilkenny, . . .	215	5	1,422 0 22	2,010 0 0	55,550	55,550
King's, . . .	3	5	455 1 00	550 0 0	9,000	9,000
Laois, . . .	55	7	222 0 12	818 0 0	15,488	15,488
Louth, . . .	65	5	381 0 00	315 0 11	15,059	15,059
Meath, . . .	35	6	406 0 20	415 10 0	8,100	8,100
Offaly, . . .	28	3	185 0 10	380 10 0	4,168	4,168
Wexford, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Waterford, . .	3	4	487 0 00	347 10 0	4,848	4,848
Wicklow, . . .	19	4	865 0 20	485 0 6	7,848	7,848
Total, . . .	919	56	13,748 0 00	7,134 0 0	182,876	182,876
CONNACTURE:						
Galway, . . .	56	5	1,008 0 00	125 10 0	5,008	5,008
Litrim, . . .	1	1	48 0 1	44 0 0	500	500
Mayo, . . .	65	2	1,422 0 12	185 0 7	7,002	7,002
Roscommon, . .	16	3	337 1 16	145 10 0	3,024	3,024
Sligo, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total, . . .	159	15	4,775 0 14	1,895 12 0	55,487	55,487
MUNSTER:						
Cork, . . .	73	4	5,880 0 00	240 11 0	15,488	15,488
East, . . .	78	7	8,084 1 00	3,778 0 0	40,547	40,547
Kerry, . . .	82	2	5,674 0 00	5,048 19 1	42,788	42,788
Limerick, . . .	3	1	25 0 00	25 10 0	400	400
Tipperary, . . .	137	35	4,978 0 00	5,015 7 0	65,378	65,378
Waterford, . . .	35	5	1,625 0 20	813 17 10	14,307	14,307
Total, . . .	517	56	18,215 0 00	16,310 0 18	275,674	275,674
SUMMARY:						
Ulster, . . .	255	28	1,971 0 00	4,748 1 33	81,875	81,875
Leinster, . . .	919	56	13,748 0 00	7,134 0 0	182,876	182,876
Connacht, . . .	159	15	4,775 0 14	1,895 12 0	55,487	55,487
Munster, . . .	517	56	18,215 0 00	16,310 0 18	275,674	275,674
Total, . . .	1,001	131	42,771 0 21	30,863 18 0	425,926	425,926

NOTE.—The Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the sale, except in a few cases where the Tenant agreed to purchase subject to a Rent Rent, Coven Rent, Fine Rent, or Distress Charge, or where arrears previously payable by the Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—
TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXVIII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans applied for, the Number of Estates, and the Total Acreage, and Rental of the holdings embraced in the applications, also the Total Purchase-money agreed upon, and the Amount of Loans applied for, during the period from 22nd August, 1885, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Loans.	Number of Estates embraced in Applica- tions.	Acreage in Statute Measures.	Rental. per a. ²	Purchase- money agreed upon.		Amount of Loans applied for.
					A.	B.	
ULSTER:							
Antrim.	2,185	67	20,000 0 00	87,000 4 00	700,000	704,700	
Armagh.	1,090	38	15,645 0 24	64,260 0 00	285,000	286,664	
Cavan.	1,060	61	20,000 0 18	11,000 0 00	264,000	263,300	
Donegal.	337	42	10,800 0 00	10,000 0 00	80,000	80,000	
Dowd.	992	48	15,000 0 38	14,120 0 00	390,000	390,954	
Fermanagh.	1,110	66	24,840 0 38	18,400 0 00	380,000	381,000	
Londonderry.	4,586	70	300,715 0 00	46,500 0 00	1,040,000	1,047,000	
Monaghan.	2,334	81	20,000 0 17	20,000 00 15	480,000	480,000	
Tyrone.	1,400	70	20,000 0 38	20,000 00 11	400,000	400,000	
Total.	36,379	433	360,665 0 38	170,010 0 00	4,300,000	4,300,750	
LEINSTER:							
Carlow.	66	17	3,275 0 38	8,400 0 00	44,000	44,000	
Dublin.	164	45	6,000 0 24	6,000 0 00	120,000	120,000	
Kildare.	209	41	34,210 0 00	24,210 00 18	640,000	651,112	
Kilkenny.	299	55	30,000 0 00	98,000 00 18	420,000	418,018	
King's.	637	48	13,200 0 27	6,000 00 1	130,000	130,000	
Longford.	1,018	39	20,000 0 00	20,000 00 17	200,000	200,000	
Louth.	207	26	4,000 0 38	8,000 0 00	80,000	80,000	
Meath.	618	39	20,000 0 27	18,000 0 00	380,000	380,000	
Queen's.	612	47	20,000 0 00	20,000 00 11	400,000	400,000	
Westmeath.	986	40	15,000 0 28	6,000 00 0	120,000	120,000	
Wexford.	481	67	20,000 0 00	12,000 00 11	160,000	160,000	
Wicklow.	31	16	6,000 0 00	4,000 00 1	60,000	60,000	
Total.	6,396	612	926,000 0 38	780,154 00 10	2,000,000	2,000,471	
CONNACTICUT:							
Galway.	1,055	58	40,000 0 00	18,700 00 21	187,000	189,400	
Limerick.	938	30	20,000 0 30	7,000 0 00	120,000	120,000	
Mayo.	616	33	17,000 0 18	8,000 00 7	120,000	120,470	
Roscommon.	730	30	20,000 0 20	8,000 00 0	140,000	140,000	
Sligo.	611	18	6,000 0 38	4,000 0 00	70,000	70,700	
Total.	8,608	327	380,000 0 38	48,000 00 2	860,000	860,000	
MUNSTER:							
Cork.	119	20	7,000 0 38	3,000 0 00	60,000	60,000	
Car.	3,416	98	10,000 0 27	20,000 0 00	200,000	200,481	
Kerry.	1,340	88	18,000 0 24	8,000 0 00	80,000	80,000	
Limerick.	216	66	20,000 0 00	20,000 0 00	200,000	200,000	
Tipperary.	1,316	127	40,000 0 26	40,000 0 00	400,000	400,000	
Waterford.	870	79	20,000 0 00	20,000 0 00	200,000	200,000	
Total.	8,792	507	512,000 0 37	810,000 00 6	1,600,000	1,600,000	
SUMMARY:							
Ulster.	34,375	614	260,000 0 00	190,000 0 00	4,375,000	4,375,000	
Leinster.	4,614	615	360,000 0 00	180,000 00 10	8,000,000	8,000,000	
Connacht.	3,400	187	180,000 0 00	40,000 00 0	180,000	180,000	
Munster.	8,318	607	261,000 0 00	220,000 00 2	6,000,000	6,000,000	
Total.	34,327	1,704	1,060,000 0 00	630,000 0 00	11,375,000	11,375,000	

(16) The Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the sale, except in a few cases where the Tenants agreed to purchase subject to a Head Rent, Crown Rent, Title Rent, or Exchange Charge, or other outgoing previously payable by the Landlord, and in such cases the outgoing has been deducted from the Rent previously payable by the Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—
TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXIX.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number and Amount of pending Applications received in respect of the Purchase for Re-Sale to Tenants under Section 5 of the Act of 1885, or by intending Purchasers of Estates for Sale in the Court of the Land Judge, during the period from 22nd August, 1885, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Estates.	No. of Applications.	Amount of Losses.
£			
LEINSTER—			
Wexford,	2	144	55,345
CONNAUGHT—			
Mayo,	1	41	3,473
MUNSTER—			
Clare,	1	21	12,052
Cork,	1	9	2,380
Limerick,	1	7	6,019
Tipperary,	1	2	2,550
Total,	4	32	23,491
SUMMARY.			
LEINSTER,	2	144	55,345
CONNAUGHT,	1	41	3,473
MUNSTER,	4	32	23,491
Total,	7	217	88,309

This Table is given for the purpose of showing, with greater accuracy, the undisposable applications for advances under the grant of £10,000,000 provided by the Act of 1885 and 1886—those applications not being included in Returns LXVII and LXVIII. Of the 217 applications there are 20 amounting to £11,071, for which there were no funds available on 31st March, 1893.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—
TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXX.—**RETURNS** showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans provisionally sanctioned, the Rental and Total Purchase-money of the Holdings, and the Amount of Loans sanctioned, also the Number of years' purchase of Rent, during the period from 2nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans	Rent. £	Amount of Purchase- money.	Amount of Loans.	No. of years' purchase of Rent.
ULSTER:					
Antrim.	580	8,640 7 13	176,374	176,374	107
Armagh.	1	197 18 11	1,012	1,012	107
Cavan.	78	614 2 2	15,377	15,377	174
Donegal.	84	94 18 0	1,678	1,678	182
Down.	63	1,241 18 8	30,048	30,048	262
Fermanagh.	18	858 6 9	7,148	7,148	199
Londonderry.	813	8,261 12 9	20,723	20,723	188
Meath.	118	1,083 1 8	26,468	26,468	174
Tyrone.	115	1,268 18 18	31,032	31,032	177
Total.	3,898	17,565 18 1	324,813	324,813	166
LEINSTER:					
Carlow.	8	204 12 8	3,863	3,863	189
Dublin.	6	336 1 0	3,012	3,012	108
Kildare.	8	218 1 0	3,653	3,653	106
Kilkenny.	138	3,991 9 10	88,049	88,049	179
King's.	30	810 8 11	11,140	11,140	201
Longford.	133	1,031 18 2	27,528	27,528	206
Louth.	68	816 9 11	13,537	13,537	175
Meath.	18	818 9 10	11,564	11,564	173
Offaly.	62	405 1 2	8,287	8,287	153
Waterford.	8	915 10 0	687	687	187
Wexford.	41	937 8 7	14,307	14,307	189
Wicklow.	16	470 17 8	7,817	7,817	107
Total.	412	18,483 2 18	374,819	374,819	169
CONNACT:					
Galway.	148	1,708 9 0	38,416	38,416	107
Litrim.	19	921 18 7	22,199	22,199	166
Mayo.	65	381 9 7	7,811	7,811	106
Roscommon.	44	862 9 12	22,388	22,388	179
Sligo.	38	1,048 7 3	3,038	3,038	107
Total.	438	6,816 9 3	89,739	89,739	169
MUNSTER:					
Cork.	78	365 12 8	12,468	12,468	174
Cork.	365	10,458 17 6	171,067	171,067	107
County.	119	4,361 2 3	11,648	11,648	180
Limerick.	66	5,916 18 7	25,328	25,328	166
Tippenny.	123	4,682 14 3	16,218	16,218	182
Waterford.	64	7,310 2 18	20,043	20,043	166
Total.	671	85,361 18 8	345,319	345,319	166
SUMMARY.					
Ulster.	3,898	17,565 18 1	324,813	324,813	166
Leinster.	412	18,483 2 18	374,819	374,819	169
Connacht.	438	6,816 9 3	89,739	89,739	169
Munster.	671	85,361 18 8	345,319	345,319	166
Total.	8,929	68,303 18 8	909,861	909,861	167

(6) The Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the rents, except in a few cases where the Tenant agreed to purchase subject to a Fixed Rent, Crown Rent, Title Rent, or Business Charge, or other outgoing previously payable by the Landlord, and in such cases the outgoing has been deducted from the Rent previously payable by the Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—

TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XXXI.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans provisionally sanctioned, the Rental and Total Purchase-money of the Holdings, and the Amount of Loans sanctioned, also the Number of Years' Purchase of Rent, during the period from 22nd August, 1885, to 31st March, 1898.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans	Rent. £	Amount of Purchase money. £	Amount of Loans. £	No. of years of Rent.
ULSTER:					
Antrim,	1,748	10,361 1 3	617,440	812,931	280
Armagh,	1,837	10,207 9 12	574,721	736,180	377
Donegal,	658	10,040 7 0	364,481	387,586	374
Derry,	612	10,258 8 1	220,494	217,088	388
Donegal,	817	10,159 7 0	241,018	241,379	386
Fermanagh,	1,063	10,064 14 0	641,996	641,996	302
Londonderry,	2,014	10,009 4 0	317,064	300,188	378
Monaghan,	2,063	10,055 14 0	327,183	329,484	389
Tyrone,	1,214	20,850 12 0	407,821	404,296	280
Total,	25,245	914,741 8 0	6,718,847	5,745,846	382
LEINSTER:					
Carlow,	46	1,950 0 0	20,298	20,298	374
Dublin,	213	7,168 0 0	230,098	183,988	210
Kildare,	668	10,751 0 0	615,758	483,887	182
Kilkenny,	718	10,487 10 12	510,948	512,277	186
Laois,	813	9,450 0 1	61,153	61,153	172
Longford,	614	10,010 10 0	384,296	380,204	188
Louth,	125	8,010 0 0	42,318	42,318	160
Meath,	455	10,538 0 0	276,543	266,428	172
Offaly,	400	10,268 14 11	290,282	291,303	172
Westmeath,	270	7,088 10 4	180,818	184,818	176
Wexford,	219	14,881 10 0	546,464	546,464	187
Wicklow,	45	4,840 10 0	32,038	32,038	172
Total,	4,878	219,860 0 0	8,837,878	8,567,348	172
CONNACTRY:					
Galway,	892	14,000 10 0	312,888	312,888	188
Litirim,	554	6,137 0 0	46,718	46,718	162
Mayo,	897	7,029 10 10	181,598	197,598	187
Roscommon,	420	5,831 0 0	132,877	134,047	186
Sligo,	294	5,610 10 1	61,048	61,048	182
Total,	2,904	86,946 17 81	661,098	658,128	184
MUNSTER:					
Cork,	383	8,818 1 0	55,577	45,200	393
Cork,	1,068	10,307 8 10	114,738	90,038	361
Carbery,	1,718	10,344 0 0	645,816	641,278	361
Limerick,	489	10,054 10 0	338,376	338,376	366
Tipperary,	1,910	10,008 0 0	617,940	621,280	361
Waterford,	262	14,017 10 7	758,401	751,364	372
Total,	4,705	100,818 0 0	3,141,146	2,939,287	368
SUMMARY:					
Ulster,	20,544	206,712 0 0	8,775,540	8,243,848	382
Leinster,	4,202	107,349 1 0	2,361,819	2,367,846	371
Connacht,	5,813	98,048 17 12	837,368	838,128	388
Munster,	4,706	104,032 0 0	3,146,566	3,139,287	361
Total,	39,165	460,109 12 0	16,348,864	15,794,146	372

(a) The Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the sale, except in a few cases where the Tenant agreed to purchase subject to a Half Rent, Crown Rent, Take Rent, or Damage Charge, or other privilege previously payable by the Landlord, and in such case the original sum has been deducted from the Rent previously payable by the Tenant.

Note.—In 31 cases the Provincial Orders authorising advances made prior to 21st August, 1885, were re-enacted during the period between that date and 31st March, 1898, and particulars of these have therefore been deducted from this Return.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—

TABLES LXVII. TO LXXXV. INCLUSIVE—CONTINUED.

LXXII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans issued, the Number of Estates, and the Total Acreage and Rental of the Holdings in respect of which the Loans have been issued, also the Total Purchase-money and the Amount of Loans obtained from Land Commission, and the Number of Years' purchase of Rent, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans.	No. of Estates.	Acreage in Square Measure.	Rent, £.	Purchase-money agreed upon.	Amount of Loans.	No. of years' purchase of Rent.
ULSTER:				A. B. P.	A. B. P.	A.	
Antrim,	1,690	8	29,122 0 37	57,738 14 4	553,245	553,245	19 9
Armagh,	43	8	383 1 84	861 0 58	8,679	8,679	17 2
Donegal,	59	12	8,182 1 3	8,380 10 3	82,818	82,818	18 9
Derry,	38	3	188 0 18	188 0 18	3,728	3,728	17 1
Fermanagh,	269	8	8,045 2 1	7,482 10 3	148,002	148,002	19 9
Londonderry,	422	10	7,911 0 87	8,548 18 21	78,513	78,513	19 9
Monaghan,	49	15	18,347 1 3	8,817 18 3	171,607	171,607	20 5
Tyrone,	310	19	947 0 6	937 7 1	20,000	20,000	18 6
Total,	7,731	60	59,366 2 81	61,618 18 12	657,458	657,458	19 9
LEINSTER:							
Carlow,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dublin,	31	8	931 0 58	1,383 7 50	87,400	87,400	19 7
Kildare,	8	8	128 1 26	745 17 8	14,230	14,230	19 9
Wicklow,	138	12	18,187 0 3	8,332 14 1	182,380	182,380	19 9
Clare,	48	7	1,038 0 4	885 18 0	14,879	14,879	18 4
Longford,	480	19	21,980 1 18	7,480 18 8	190,614	190,614	18 1
Louth,	72	8	1,488 2 36	5,481 18 8	58,893	58,893	17 6
Meath,	94	7	1,882 0 8	1,882 18 4	82,301	82,301	17 5
Offaly,	210	19	3,049 1 85	4,889 18 4	75,264	75,264	18 7
Westmeath,	45	8	1,000 2 18	1,080 18 8	22,278	22,278	18 9
Wexford,	82	14	3,018 0 83	3,000 17 8	81,288	81,288	18 6
Wicklow,	18	7	228 0 88	878 17 4	11,835	11,835	19 7
Total,	1,108	60	48,138 2 34	56,179 1 11	668,804	668,804	19 8
CONNACTRY:							
Galway,	468	24	31,261 0 19	8,018 0 11	51,048	51,048	14 8
Latrim,	138	8	3,058 0 8	1,088 18 3	34,839	34,839	18 3
Mayo,	87	7	8,031 0 11	3,010 10 8	81,648	81,648	18 4
Roscommon,	160	18	8,184 0 87	3,090 18 2	54,008	54,008	18 8
Sligo,	81	8	1,048 1 1	788 2 8	18,378	18,378	17 4
Total,	886	43	51,385 0 89	21,328 4 0	376,804	376,804	18 9
MUNSTER:							
Clare,	78	9	1,758 0 18	880 12 2	15,874	15,874	19 9
Cork,	212	86	27,104 0 18	19,878 0 0	279,880	279,880	14 0
Kerry,	83	18	1,424 0 18	1,427 20 10	27,845	27,845	19 7
Limerick,	48	18	2,070 0 86	8,859 18 1	55,896	55,896	18 9
Tipperary,	556	58	25,028 0 89	8,080 0 0	211,812	211,812	18 8
Waterford,	113	18	7,735 0 17	6,948 17 8	31,448	31,448	19 9
Total,	774	218	48,223 0 84	88,881 18 10	654,843	654,843	18 8
SUMMARY.							
Ulster,	8,231	26	70,358 1 81	61,618 18 20	651,488	651,488	19 8
Leinster,	1,188	60	48,138 2 34	56,179 1 11	468,804	468,804	19 6
Connacht,	886	43	51,385 0 89	21,328 4 0	376,804	376,804	18 8
Munster,	774	218	48,223 0 84	88,881 18 10	654,843	654,843	18 8
Total,	9,093	214	169,876 1 81	139,861 18 7	1,886,132	1,886,132	19 8

To the Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the sale, except in a few cases where the Tenants agreed to purchase subject to a Fixed Rent, Crown Rent, Title Rent, or Dividends Charge, or other retainer previously payable by the Landlord, and in such cases the retainer has been deducted from the Rent previously payable by the Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—

TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXIII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Loans issued, the number of Estates, and the Total Acreage, and Rental of the Holdings in respect of which Loans have been issued, also the Total Purchase-money and the Amount of Loans obtained from Land Commission, and the Number of Years' purchase of Rent, during the period from 23rd August, 1885, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans.	No. of Estates.	Acreage in Statute Measure.	Rent.	Purchase-money agreed upon.	Amount of Loans.	No. of years' purchase of Rent.
Ulster:			A. E. M.	A. E. M.	A.	A.	
Antrim.	3,089	84	54,818 0 00	10,870 16 4	487,018	479,264	18 9
Armagh.	981	18	12,084 0 00	12,029 22 2	574,371	573,587	17 9
Cavan.	923	49	40,619 0 00	8,000 16 4	173,072	171,800	17 2
Donegal.	818	81	28,002 0 00	13,202 11 8	316,497	306,807	18 6
Derry.	894	27	18,347 0 21	18,312 10 11	226,218	220,100	18 9
Fermanagh.	399	59	22,615 0 00	16,000 0 35	812,379	810,189	19 1
Londonderry.	8,006	41	104,088 2 12	61,307 18 8	612,474	601,540	17 9
Monaghan.	1,206	22	24,018 0 00	18,000 0 00	494,904	483,946	18 6
Tyrone.	929	43	30,021 0 11	18,000 10 0	812,319	812,084	18 9
Total.	31,785	808	311,487 0 00	104,882 2 11	2,438,248	2,384,202	18 2
Leinster:							
Carlow.	39	18	1,098 1 00	1,095 14 8	20,540	20,068	17 4
Deళin.	139	89	4,055 0 00	6,170 2 4	286,378	284,890	17 7
Kildare.	470	24	27,309 0 19	50,870 6 7	483,008	480,715	18 2
Kilkenny.	889	65	54,482 0 00	43,662 0 33	336,218	334,679	18 9
King's.	216	30	7,473 1 13	4,745 2 11	64,326	64,268	17 6
Longford.	173	90	16,181 0 00	11,142 18 8	174,810	173,748	18 7
Louth.	218	13	3,008 0 14	3,000 6 6	61,373	60,328	18 7
Meath.	849	97	18,300 1 38	18,311 6 7	373,818	364,609	17 9
Offaly.	479	26	21,004 0 00	18,000 16 6	239,518	238,621	17 6
Waterford.	131	89	16,061 0 00	7,729 7 8	266,518	259,633	18 9
Wexford.	909	46	30,373 0 00	13,000 14 4	206,314	200,178	18 8
Wicklow.	85	29	6,428 0 18	4,037 18 8	60,363	54,800	18 7
Total.	8,759	826	210,000 0 7	120,850 2 11	6,812,790	6,314,813	17 2
Connacht:							
Galway.	250	69	35,198 0 24	18,680 15 8	294,704	293,489	18 7
Learmonth.	487	18	11,307 0 37	8,079 13 4	80,510	84,747	18 6
Mayo.	1,212	12	14,588 0 00	8,160 18 11	267,548	183,709	18 7
Roscommon.	470	66	11,948 0 00	8,899 1 9	65,318	64,086	18 8
Sligo.	828	19	1,631 0 27	8,016 11 8	90,810	88,768	18 1
Total.	3,981	524	72,506 0 27	61,142 10 8	807,616	807,368	18 7
Munster:							
Clare.	188	55	6,008 0 04	6,396 21 6	62,028	46,186	18 7
Cork.	1,089	370	47,337 2 16	44,527 16 8	797,684	792,479	18 8
Kerry.	639	65	25,106 2 38	17,555 28 2	424,640	614,180	18 9
Limerick.	468	59	46,039 0 17	32,447 34 9	301,019	307,146	18 8
Tipperary.	817	97	48,500 0 00	36,546 18 2	403,314	418,783	18 2
Waterford.	720	66	51,501 0 16	42,749 1 29	792,518	791,999	18 9
Total.	4,209	803	610,334 1 16	376,820 8 0	3,214,318	3,176,838	18 9
SUMMARY.							
Ulster.	10,888	980	313,407 0 00	180,801 9 0	2,480,318	2,381,268	18 2
Leinster.	3,750	879	178,036 0 2	110,889 2 1	2,931,294	2,146,473	17 9
Connacht.	3,901	524	78,558 0 27	68,348 10 2	807,616	807,368	18 7
Munster.	4,808	861	586,924 1 10	216,022 8 0	3,214,318	3,176,838	18 9
Total.	19,344	3,104	916,504 2 27	691,752 8 0	8,691,816	8,300,581	18 1

(a) The Rents stated in this Return are the Rents payable by the Tenants previous to the sale, except in a few cases where the Tenants agreed to purchase subject to a Fixed Rent, Gross Rent, Title Rent, or Rent Charge or other outgoing payable by the Tenant.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885—
TABLES LXVII. TO LXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXXIV.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Estates purchased by the Irish Land Commission under section 5, with the Number of Tenants, the Acreage, Rental, Purchase Money, and amount of Loans, during the period from 22nd August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Estates.	Number of Tenants.	Acreage in Statute Measures.	Rental.	Purchase Money.	Amount of Loans.
ULSTER:						
Bangor, . . .	1	92	478 0 29	88 13 9	1,034	1,034
Newry, . . .	1	18	550 0 34	122 16 7	6,422	6,422
Tyrone, . . .	1	9	160 0 68	120 15 6	3,761	3,761
Total, . . .	3	119	1,188 0 31	400 7 2	9,797	9,797
LEINSTER:						
Kilkenny, . . .	2	91	4,872 0 29	8,000 6 1	44,901	44,901
Longford, . . .	6	18	681 0 34	800 1 6	4,004	4,004
Louth, . . .	2	68	961 0 22	818 8 11	11,022	11,022
Meath, . . .	1	10	268 0 28	810 8 6	4,000	4,000
Queen's, . . .	1	28	897 0 23	800 18 0	6,020	6,020
Wicklow, . . .	6	10	878 0 27	883 18 0	8,149	8,149
Total, . . .	16	290	7,811 0 29	4,000 18 4	90,070	90,070
CONNACTH:						
Galway, . . .	1	11	86 0 27	88 6 0	812	812
Mayo, . . .	6	61	1,075 0 38	821 8 7	7,812	7,812
Roscommon, . . .	1	16	218 0 28	87 18 0	1,034	1,034
Total, . . .	8	87	1,368 0 1	729 18 0	10,863	10,863
MUNSTER:						
Clare, . . .	2	21	1,758 0 19	800 11 6	12,486	12,486
Cork, . . .	6	64	4,281 0 26	1,882 18 6	28,447	28,447
Tipperary, . . .	6	55	1,666 0 26	808 1 6	11,000	11,000
Waterford, . . .	1	14	655 0 0	400 17 0	8,041	8,041
Total, . . .	16	195	8,390 0 26	8,006 0 6	58,930	58,930
SUMMARY.						
ULSTER, . . .	6	69	3,169 0 19	400 7 7	6,747	6,747
LEINSTER, . . .	10	298	7,811 0 29	4,000 18 4	90,070	90,070
CONNACTH, . . .	2	67	1,368 0 1	729 18 0	10,863	10,863
MUNSTER, . . .	10	177	8,390 0 26	8,006 0 6	58,930	58,930
Total, . . .	38	532	18,338 0 26	18,000 1 6	155,860	155,860

NOTE.—Particulars of these Estates are included in Returns LXVII. to LXXV., exclusive of LXXX.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.—

TABLES LXVII. TO LXXXV. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXXXV.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Estates purchased by the Irish Land Commission under Section 5, with the Number of Tenants, the Acreage, Rental, Purchase Money, and Amount of Loans, during the period from 22nd August, 1885, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NO. OF ESTATES.	NO. OF TENANTS.	ACREAGE IN STATUTE MEASURE.	RENTAL.	PURCHASE MONEY.	AMOUNT OF LOANS.
ULSTER:						
Antrim,	1	12	150 0 04	£17 9 9	£1,310	£,960
Armagh,	1	49	128 1 11	£78 8 6	£,310	£,366
Cavan,	2	81	1,177 8 8	£78 6 6	£4,295	£4,026
Donegal,	1	37	258 9 20	£8 28 6	£,294	£,204
Monaghan,	5	74	1,126 5 29	£12 18 4	£4,097	£4,006
Tyrone,	8	209	3,422 8 8	£78 8 4	£3,665	£1,022
Total,	28	819	7,480 5 18	£,868 8 8	£1,680	£1,022
LEINSTER:						
Dublin,	1	18	212 8 28	£26 8 6	£,213	£,213
Meath,	6	163	2,007 5 4	£,610 18 8	£8,987	£8,950
Clare,	1	8	162 0 2	£5 10 0	£,058	£,043
Laois,	2	18	210 8 24	£89 1 2	£,204	£,204
Louth,	2	38	186 6 29	£12 8 11	£4,012	£4,012
Wexford,	2	58	708 3 18	£10 8 1	£,537	£,467
Queen's,	1	73	3,870 9 38	£,317 18 8	£1,710	£1,674
Waterford,	5	66	9,337 1 32	£,345 4 21	£6,875	£6,875
Wicklow,	3	30	£78 3 27	£21 18 0	£,860	£,740
Total,	28	822	33,890 2 31	£,267 8 8	£82,885	£72,512
CONNAUGHT:						
Galway,	3	58	1,677 1 8	£17 9 9	£5,872	£1,922
Limerick,	4	208	4,005 1 24	£,148 5 8	£8,063	£8,063
Mayo,	3	185	5,655 8 18	£,410 8 8	£2,918	£2,918
Roscommon,	3	78	1,297 6 87	£10 18 1	£,873	£,873
Total,	17	837	18,925 8 8	£,325 18 10	£8,277	£8,277
MUNSTER:						
Clare,	4	85	3,697 2 18	£,614 11 8	£2,294	£1,666
Cork,	8	59	4,810 1 8	£,547 8 8	£1,590	£1,782
Tipperary,	9	82	8,674 8 28	£,877 18 1	£6,788	£6,658
Waterford,	6	88	4,629 2 8	£,872 18 1	£1,470	£1,445
Total,	38	853	28,886 1 28	£,867 18 1	£84,870	£70,378
SUMMARY:						
Ulster,	28	818	7,480 5 18	£,868 8 8	£1,680	£0,000
Leinster,	35	813	33,890 2 31	£,267 8 8	£10,832	£10,832
Connacht,	17	827	18,925 8 8	£,325 18 10	£8,277	£8,277
Munster,	23	816	28,886 1 28	£,867 18 1	£84,870	£70,378
Total,	98	2,467	82,295 2 4	£6,229 8 1	£60,922	£60,922

NOTE.—Particulars of these Estates are included in Returns LXVII. to LXXXV. exclusive of LXXX.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1891--TABLES LXXVI
TO LXXXII INCLUSIVE.

LXXVI.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans applied for, the Number of Estates, and the Total Acreage and Rental of the Holdings embraced in the Applications, also the Total Purchase-money agreed upon, and the Amount of Loans applied for during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Loans applied for.	Number of Estates embraced in Applications.	Acreage in Statute Measure.	Rent.	Purchase-money agreed upon.	Amount of Loans applied for.
ULSTER:						
Antrim.	298	16	8,857 1 8	3,886 38 2	242,413	187,189
Armagh.	65	3	1,916 1 13	1,110 38 10	11,208	11,208
Cavan.	22	8	739 0 7	467 6 7	6,379	6,379
Donegal.	87	8	1,029 6 22	738 1 18	11,138	11,138
Down.	128	6	3,379 1 8	1,781 27 7	35,047	43,872
Fermanagh.	143	6	6,540 1 39	3,882 36 1	61,352	48,538
Londonderry.	146	12	4,330 2 29	2,465 38 2	45,736	45,736
Monaghan.	37	4	484 1 11	294 11 0	6,139	4,548
Tyrone.	37	6	1,944 1 8	718 3 13	26,472	34,743
Total.	748	76	36,894 9 18	20,810 38 2	822,228	701,016
LEINSTER:						
Carlow.	8	3	973 0 34	567 8 4	4,779	3,126
Dublin.	4	3	385 0 29	268 4 18	8,298	8,298
Kildare.	55	16	3,812 0 2	1,810 18 2	21,838	21,838
Kilkenny.	39	5	1,896 0 91	908 19 0	14,596	15,193
Longford.	8	3	213 0 25	111 8 6	2,290	1,486
Louth.	144	8	3,800 0 31	2,180 14 2	42,388	39,246
Meath.	1	1	18 0 0	10 18 0	1,048	1,048
Wexford.	22	7	688 0 4	400 18 2	3,295	3,295
Waterford.	91	4	749 0 8	408 22 11	39,190	36,183
Wicklow.	88	6	472 0 34	268 12 4	7,056	5,256
Total.	416	68	37,287 1 9	20,460 18 1	182,928	158,514
CONNACTIC:						
Galway.	47	26	4,228 0 28	2,414 8 2	22,138	20,394
Limerick.	14	3	865 0 60	517 21 11	3,911	3,911
Mayo.	38	7	1,480 2 4	690 8 6	14,718	14,718
Roscommon.	87	8	3,558 2 30	1,978 11 0	16,817	16,817
Sligo.	31	3	368 0 87	479 8 1	8,374	8,174
Total.	317	48	8,024 0 3	5,007 8 1	84,873	81,038
MUNSTER:						
Cork.	22	3	1,393 1 30	829 21 12	3,818	2,408
Clare.	945	28	21,685 0 55	8,730 8 13	186,533	202,408
County Cork.	180	18	4,937 0 7	3,288 18 6	32,889	31,782
County Limerick.	30	23	3,987 0 10	4,000 8 4	62,074	61,099
Tipperary, North.	17	3	238 0 13	421 6 0	8,337	8,261
Tipperary, South.	372	92	8,770 0 57	5,060 7 14	90,510	84,182
Waterford.	60	13	3,088 0 24	1,984 8 2	48,900	46,762
Total.	148	118	39,625 0 19	20,829 8 3	386,937	380,448
SUMMARY:						
Clare.	688	73	32,044 0 22	18,673 13 2	236,255	236,255
Limerick.	643	43	15,837 1 13	12,602 13 2	176,878	176,878
County Cork.	917	40	8,238 0 6	8,897 8 8	64,673	64,673
Waterford.	746	118	35,618 0 32	24,512 8 2	286,387	280,448
Total.	3,261	260	120,693 0 22	80,944 8 2	878,930	844,016

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LXXXVII.—Return showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans provisionally sanctioned, the Rental, the Annual Values, and Total Purchase-money of the Holdings, and the Amount of Loans sanctioned, also the Number of Years' purchase of Rent, and of Annual Value, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans.	Rent.	Annual Value (Sections 6 and 42 of the Act).	Amount of Purchase- money.	Amount of Loans sanctioned.	No. of Years' Purchase of Rent.	No. of Years' Purchase of Annual Value.
ULSTER:			<i>£</i> <i>£</i> <i>£</i>	<i>£</i> <i>£</i> <i>£</i>	<i>£</i>		
Antrim,	543	4,023 18 0	2,022 0 0	27,022	20,212	388	30 1
Armagh,	48	180 8 28	918 0 0	9,027	8,218	279	27 8
Cavan,	38	181 22 0	148 0 0	2,722	2,722	289	28 1
Donegal,	18	277 0 0	129 0 0	2,660	2,660	149	28 9
Derry,	94	1,489 18 0	2,019 18 0	30,000	25,716	389	28 9
Fermanagh,	189	1,600 18 0	1,600 0 0	20,771	16,916	394	29 6
Londonderry,	82	3,037 12 0	2,376 0 0	20,000	14,000	399	29 9
Monaghan,	6	45 0 0	45 18 0	876	876	309	28 6
Tyrone,	10	343 27 0	243 0 4	8,028	8,028	193	20 2
Total,	817	10,413 18 4	9,864 0 1	206,717	166,687	109	29 6
LEINSTER:							
Carlow,	4	278 0 0	181 0 0	6,700	5,100	289	28 9
Dublin,	1	42 14 10	42 18 15	650	650	389	28 6
Kildare,	83	473 25 7	421 28 0	8,779	5,429	289	28 6
Kilkenny,	8	560 0 0	461 0 0	16,428	8,206	189	18 2
King's,	2	30 0 0	20 0 0	400	400	279	27 6
Laois,	113	3,839 0 0	669 0 0	27,000	18,036	389	27 2
Louth,	2	100 18 0	100 18 0	1,000	1,000	389	28 9
Meath,	4	105 0 0	89 14 11	1,717	1,717	289	27 2
Offaly,	8	200 0 0	184 0 0	8,070	5,178	289	27 6
Westmeath,	37	294 11 0	294 0 1	2,994	1,914	189	27 2
Wexford,	104	8,039 1 0	3,438 18 0	61,061	46,316	179	18 4
Wicklow,	5	12 0 0	91 0 0	1,391	1,391	182	18 2
Total,	818	7,645 12 0	3,480 0 1	120,329	818,817	109	28 6
CONNACTRY:							
Galway,	54	388 12 0	169 32 0	19,348	16,661	189	18 6
Litrim,	2	49 0 13	36 0 7	497	497	12 4	12 1
Mayo,	69	808 18 0	409 0 7	1,334	8,890	18 8	17 6
Roscommon,	65	556 0 0	679 14 7	7,617	7,617	18 8	18 9
Sligo,	60	100 0 7	213 4 7	8,188	8,120	17 2	17 2
Total,	147	3,237 0 4	3,009 12 10	63,819	20,320	149	18 7
MUNSTER:							
Cork,	16	212 18 0	248 10 7	2,817	5,870	18 8	17 2
Cork,	175	6,089 1 0	6,079 28 0	201,008	97,470	18 8	18 9
Kerry,	98	1,240 0 0	3,009 14 0	26,028	26,028	18 9	18 6
Limerick,	81	5,670 0 0	3,010 11 0	45,048	41,388	18 7	18 4
Tipperary, North,	33	247 0 0	213 0 0	4,000	5,000	18 6	18 2
Tipperary, South,	137	6,987 18 0	8,472 7 4	44,300	42,800	18 9	18 6
Waterford,	28	1,358 18 0	1,010 0 7	25,279	24,879	18 9	18 6
Total,	473	14,226 18 0	10,000 17 6	436,737	242,814	18 9	18 6
SUMMARY:							
Ulster,	817	30,423 18 4	16,410 0 1	206,717	166,687	109	28 6
Leinster,	818	7,645 12 0	3,480 0 1	120,329	818,817	109	28 6
Connacht,	147	3,237 0 4	3,009 12 10	63,819	20,320	149	18 7
Munster,	473	14,226 18 0	10,000 17 6	436,737	242,814	18 9	18 6
Total,	1,338	40,271 13 8	30,000 1 4	496,837	310,814	109	28 7

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TABLES LXXVI TO LXXXII, INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXXVIII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Loans issued, the number of Estates, and the Total Acreage and Rental of the Holdings in respect of which the Loans have been issued, also the Total Purchase-money and the Amount of Loans obtained from Land Commission, and the Number of Years' purchase of Rent, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans.	No. of Estates.	Acreage in Statute Measure.	Rent.	Purchase-money agreed upon.	Amount of Loans.	No. of years' purchase of Rent.
ULSTER:			A. S. D.	A. S. D.	A.	A.	
Antrim,	120	6	4,001 0 31	9,070 0 1	10,720	10,720	98 0
Armagh,	8	9	21 2 0	20 6 0	210	210	12 0
Donegal,	9	1	107 0 00	21 0 0	1,100	1,100	34 0
Derry,	65	2	1,028 0 22	1,085 11 0	21,185	18,180	394
Fermanagh,	26	6	207 0 00	510 10 0	1,037	1,037	15 1
Londonderry,	37	6	254 0 00	210 1 0	8,145	8,145	36 0
Tyrone,	15	1	465 1 00	817 0 0	4,770	4,770	98 1
Total,	311	18	8,688 0 30	8,322 4 7	181,770	180,817	126
CONSTITUTIONAL:							
Dublin,	2	2	43 0 00	87 04 16	420	420	38 0
Estates,	2	2	19 1 22	74 0 0	1,150	1,150	38 0
Kildare,	3	1	39 0 00	87 27 0	1,220	1,220	38 4
King's,	1	1	19 0 00	20 0 0	400	400	38 0
Laois,	86	8	1,030 0 02	884 0 1	11,220	11,220	18 1
Meath,	8	2	48 0 00	42 0 0	720	720	38 0
Westmeath,	1	1	96 0 00	25 11 7	248	248	38 0
Wexford,	86	5	2,322 1 20	1,487 0 0	55,084	54,084	17 0
Wicklow,	3	1	48 0 00	42 0 0	650	650	18 0
Total,	311	28	4,336 0 12	8,038 0 0	69,879	68,827	126
MUNSTER:							
Carlow,	7	3	203 0 38	427 5 12	2,845	2,845	18 1
Laois,	7	1	62 1 51	97 0 13	407	407	12 4
Mayo,	1	1	118 0 00	159 0 0	1,630	1,630	38 0
Roscommon,	1	1	17 0 00	13 0 0	928	928	31 0
Sligo,	6	3	248 0 00	71 0 7	1,310	1,310	37 0
Total,	20	8	836 0 38	848 4 1	10,809	10,758	12 6
MISCELLANEOUS:							
Cork,	20	12	8,063 0 31	1,000 0 10	81,200	25,000	37 6
Kerry,	9	6	278 0 00	260 22 0	4,918	4,918	34 0
Shane,	6	2	120 0 00	184 0 0	2,188	2,188	37 0
Tipperary, North,	2	—	168 0 00	47 0 0	866	866	37 0
— South,	81	8	5,277 0 00	6,280 0 0	32,313	29,245	34 0
Waterford,	5	2	225 0 00	189 28 0	2,110	2,110	18 0
Total,	136	82	8,008 0 30	8,268 10 0	78,185	75,056	36 2
SUMMARY.							
Ulster,	311	18	8,688 0 30	8,322 4 7	181,770	180,817	126
Leinster,	288	28	4,336 0 12	8,038 0 0	69,879	68,827	126
Constitutional,	39	8	836 0 38	848 4 1	10,809	10,758	12 6
Munster,	136	82	8,008 0 30	8,268 10 0	78,185	75,056	36 2
Total,	636	118	21,032 0 30	18,607 4 8	320,814	316,692	124

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TABLES LXXVI. TO LXXXII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXXIX. RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the number of Loans applied for, for the purchase of Estates for re-sale to the Tenants under Section 5 of the Act of 1885, the number of such Estates, and the Total Acreage, and Rental of the Holdings embraced in the applications, also the Total Purchase Money and the amount of Loans applied for, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Loans applied for.	No. of Estates.	Acreage in Statute Measure.	Rental.	Purchase Money.	Amount of Loans
ULSTER:						
Antrim,	8	1	23 0 4	85 0 0	814	814
Down,	15	1	188 0 0	184 0 0	8,740	8,740
Donegal,	81	1	1,049 1 27	1,080 18 0	85,018	85,018
Fermanagh,	12	1	235 0 0	80 17 0	1,008	1,008
Tyrone,	8	1	233 0 28	80 19 0	1,008	1,008
Total,	106	5	3,207 1 25	2,021 18 0	31,918	31,918
LEINSTER:						
Dublin,	2	1	23 0 4	23 0 0	810	810
Wicklow,	8	1	100 0 0	102 19 0	8,100	8,100
Kildare,	2	1	186 0 0	176 0 0	8,220	8,220
King's,	20	2	982 0 0	477 0 0	8,800	8,800
Meath,	1	1	238 0 7	105 0 0	1,795	1,795
Queen's,	36	1	394 0 0	461 0 0	8,315	8,315
Westmeath,	36	0	442 0 0	812 21 1	8,637	8,637
Total,	103	10	9,040 0 00	1,880 18 1	31,344	31,344
CONNACTH:						
Galway,	205	8	8,258 1 86	8,177 7 0	81,878	81,878
Limerick,	14	1	537 0 0	47 19 0	1,615	1,615
Sligo,	192	2	3,019 0 0	116 0 0	12,878	12,878
Roscommon,	228	0	3,212 0 00	2,210 20 10	81,878	81,878
Leitrim,	8	1	279 0 0	111 0 0	1,795	1,795
Total,	588	14	18,700 0 00	8,882 0 0	81,878	81,878
MERIDIAN:						
Clare,	18	1	829 0 0	271 0 00	8,078	8,078
Cork,	7	2	657 0 0	894 37 10	8,750	8,750
Kerry,	78	2	3,064 1 0	1,081 0 0	22,658	22,658
Waterford,	3	2	347 0 00	147 0 0	1,894	1,894
Tipperary, South.	13	0	432 0 00	237 35 0	1,935	1,935
Waterford,	4	1	186 0 0	183 0 0	1,860	1,860
Total,	208	21	8,881 0 00	8,881 00 0	47,878	47,878
SUMMARY:						
Ulster,	106	5	3,207 1 25	2,021 18 0	31,918	31,918
Leinster,	103	10	9,040 0 00	1,880 18 1	31,344	31,344
Connacht,	588	14	18,700 0 00	8,882 0 0	81,878	81,878
Meridian,	208	21	8,881 0 00	8,881 00 0	47,878	47,878
Total,	591	40	30,928 0 00	18,683 11 1	130,435	130,435

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.—
TABLES LXXVI TO LXXXII. INCLUSIVE—continued.

XXX.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans provisionally sanctioned for the purchase of Estates for re-sale to the Tenants under Section 5 of the Act of 1885, the Rental and Total Purchase-money of the Holdings, and the Amount of Loans sanctioned; also the Number of Years' Purchase of Rent during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1892.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NO. OF LOANS.	RENTAL.	AMOUNT OF PURCHASE MONEY.	AMOUNT OF LOANS.	NO. OF YEARS' PURCHASE OF RENT.
LEINSTER:					
Kildare,	5	£ 129 15 0	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	10 9
King's,	45	£ 212 6 1	£ 2,314	£ 2,314	12 8
Wexford,	37	£ 112 8 6	£ 1,615	£ 1,615	13 8
Total,	81	£ 552 15 6	£ 10,754	£ 10,754	12 8
CONNACTH:					
Galway,	97	£ 1,149 19 11	£ 12,078	£ 12,078	10 7
Leitrim,	7	£ 5 2 1	£ 3,326	£ 3,326	12 8
Roscommon,	27	£ 100 12 6	£ 3,386	£ 3,386	12 8
Total,	131	£ 1,252 6 3	£ 18,800	£ 18,800	12 8
MUNSTER:					
Cork,	5	£ 115 8 4	£ 1,125	£ 1,125	14 9
Kerry,	9	£ 6 2 0	£ 3,600	£ 3,600	15 9
Limerick,	4	£ 123 1 2	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	17 9
Tipperary South,	9	£ 161 17 15	£ 1,511	£ 1,511	18 9
Total,	31	£ 248 19 8	£ 11,560	£ 11,560	15 4
SUMMARY:					
LEINSTER,	71	£ 552 15 6	£ 10,754	£ 10,754	12 8
CONNACTH,	131	£ 1,252 6 3	£ 18,800	£ 18,800	12 8
MUNSTER,	31	£ 248 19 8	£ 11,560	£ 11,560	15 4
Total,	233	£ 9,052 6 9	£ 40,114	£ 40,114	12 8

XXXI.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Loans issued for the purchase of Estates for re-sale to the Tenants under Section 5 of the Act of 1885, the Number of each Estates, and the Total Acreage and Rental of the Holdings in respect of which the Loans have been issued; also the Total Purchase-money and the Amount of Loans obtained from Land Commission, and the Number of Years' Purchase of Rent during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1892.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	NO. OF LOANS.	NO. OF ESTATES.	ACREAGE IN STATE MEASURE.	RENTAL.	PURCHASE-MONEY ISSUED UPON.	AMOUNT OF LOANS.	NO. OF YEARS' PURCHASE OF RENT.
LEINSTER:							
Kildare,	5	5	245 6 4	£ 22 18 0	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	10 9
Total,	5	5	245 6 4	£ 22 18 0	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	10 9
CONNACTH:							
Galway,	98	1	262 8 28	£ 8 18 1	£ 2,388	£ 2,388	10 7
Roscommon,	6	1	120 6 31	£ 8 18 6	£ 200	£ 200	12 8
Total,	104	2	382 6 29	£ 8 18 6	£ 2,588	£ 2,588	10 7
MUNSTER:							
Cork,	5	10	455 6 36	£ 115 8 4	£ 1,125	£ 1,125	14 9
Kerry,	6	6	60 6 31	£ 5 2 1	£ 3,600	£ 3,600	15 9
Limerick,	5	11	123 6 6	£ 123 1 2	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	17 9
Total,	16	26	638 6 33	£ 214 15 8	£ 4,635	£ 4,635	15 3
SUMMARY:							
LEINSTER,	5	1	245 6 4	£ 22 18 0	£ 1,225	£ 1,225	10 9
CONNACTH,	104	2	382 6 29	£ 8 18 6	£ 2,588	£ 2,588	10 7
MUNSTER,	16	26	638 6 33	£ 214 15 8	£ 4,635	£ 4,635	12 4
Total,	125	28	1,265 6 28	£ 322 15 6	£ 10,448	£ 10,448	12 8

PROCEEDINGS UNDER PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.—
TABLES LXXVI TO LXXXII INCLUSIVE—continued.

LXXXII.—RETURN showing, according to Counties, the Amount of the Advances applied for in respect of Holdings Rented respectively at £50 and under, and over £50, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1896.

COUNTY.	Holdings Rented at £50 and under.	Holdings Rented at over £50.	
		Amount of Advances applied for.	Amount of Advances applied for.
		£	£
Antrim,	27,181	40,812	
Armagh,	31,293	—	
Carlow,	1,270	1,900	
Cavan,	4,671	4,331	
Clare,	7,188	3,175	
Cork,	61,374	93,785	
Cork Congested District,			
Donegal,	11,905	3,795	
Donegal Congested District,			
Down,	47,314	8,775	
Dublin,	1,345	4,451	
Fermanagh,	37,101	3,340	
Galway,	37,177	17,749	
Galway Congested District,			
Kerry,	51,039	34,518	
Kerry Congested District,			
Kildare,	14,524	8,917	
Kilkenny,	5,903	9,943	
King's,	7,445	1,299	
Leitrim,	3,677	974	
Leitrim Congested District,			
Limerick,	27,512	36,821	
Londonderry,	37,919	7,650	
Longford,	21,580	11,180	
Louth,	—	1,387	
Mayo,	19,447	6,394	
Mayo Congested District,			
Meath,	1,592	6,300	
Monaghan,	1,604	2,235	
Offaly,	9,000	10,006	
Roscommon,	42,780	7,587	
Roscommon Congested District,			
Sligo,	4,622	5,435	
Sligo Congested District,			
Tipperary, North,	4,807	1,500	
Tipperary, South,	39,737	25,687	
Tyrone,	12,921	3,030	
Waterford,	15,576	43,484	
Westmeath,	7,448	6,590	
Wexford,	37,555	44,142	
Wicklow,	1,131	2,800	
Total,	636,040	651,033	

REDEMPTION OF RENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.—TABLES LXXXIII. AND LXXXIV.

LXXXIII.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Applications received by the Irish Land Commission under the Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893, together with the number of such cases in which Consents have or have not been received.

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	No. of Applications received under Redemption of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1891.	No. of cases in which Consent or Letter annexed to Redemption.	*No. of cases in which Consent or Letter annexed to Redemption.
ULSTER:			
Antrim,	89	58	54
Armagh,	37	4	40
Cavan,	7	—	7
Donegal,	4	—	3
Derry,	28	18	21
Fermanagh,	18	7	8
Londonderry,	16	—	16
Monaghan,	12	1	13
Tyrone,	48	—	48
Total,	314	112	199
LEINSTER:			
Carlow,	8	—	7
Dublin,	22	6	22
Kildare,	18	—	18
Kilkenny,	14	—	12
King's,	14	8	9
Laois,	8	—	8
Louth,	8	—	8
Meath,	18	8	18
Queen's,	4	2	3
Waterford,	7	1	6
Wexford,	81	—	81
Wicklow,	18	4	18
Total,	179	58	145
MUNSTER:			
Clare,	8	—	8
Cork,	132	50	101
Kerry,	8	—	8
Limerick,	8	—	7
Tipperary,	29	6	17
Waterford,	8	8	8
Total,	212	56	158
CONRAIGHT:			
Galway,	2	0	2
Limerick,	1	—	1
Mayo,	—	—	—
Roscommon,	1	—	1
Sligo,	8	—	8
Total,	12	0	12
SUMMARY:			
ULSTER,	314	112	199
LEINSTER,	179	58	145
MUNSTER,	212	56	158
CONRAIGHT,	12	0	12
TOTAL,	627	228	637

* These figures are included in Tables I. and II.

REDEMPTION OF RENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.—TAXES LXXXIII. AND LXXXIV.—continued.
 LXXXIV.—RETURN showing, according to Provinces and Counties, the Number of Consents to Redemption in which Prices have been fixed, the Number of Estates embraced in such Consents, the Acreage, Rent, and Annual Value of the Holdings in respect of which the Prices have been fixed; also the Total Prices fixed and the Amount of the Loans sanctioned, and the Number of Years of Price on Annual Value, during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

Province and County.	No. of Consents.	No. of Estates.	Acreage in Statute Measure.	Rent.	Annual Value.	Price Fixed.	Amount of Loans Sanctioned.	No. of Years of Price on Annual Value.
ULSTER:								
Antrim,	4	4	269 2 27	£12 10 8	213 18 7	4,000	8,750	187
Armagh,	1	1	27 0 2	21 0 0	21 18 8	1,000	1,000	179
Down,	3	3	126 0 88	578 17 7	178 12 11	3,000	8,219	174
Total,	8	8	422 1 29	937 3 6	891 0 3	8,000	8,677	173
LEINSTER:								
Dublin,	2	2	79 1 29	128 18 0	129 11 8	8,000	8,000	179
King's,	1	1	44 1 18	48 8 9	50 0 0	750	750	179
Queen's,	1	1	187 1 2	184 17 3	184 12 4	2,000	2,000	172
Waterford,	1	1	129 2 14	101 18 0	107 18 3	2,000	2,000	177
Total,	4	4	422 8 26	888 14 19	838 2 3	8,000	8,000	179
MUNSTER:								
Cork,	18	38	1,074 8 17	1,004 18 0	1,004 18 2	20,000	20,000	179
Tipperary, South,	3	1	75 1 29	48 8 9	47 10 8	750	750	179
Waterford,	2	2	218 2 23	531 12 4	511 10 4	4,000	4,000	177
Total,	23	41	3,000 8 26	3,000 12 13	3,000 12 0	20,000	20,000	174
SUMMARY:								
Ulster,	18	8	618 1 18	677 8 4	231 0 0	8,000	8,677	179
Leinster,	4	4	422 8 26	888 14 19	887 3 3	8,000	8,000	179
Munster,	23	41	3,000 8 26	3,000 12 11	3,000 12 0	20,000	20,000	174
Total,	45	53	3,640 8 26	4,866 12 1	4,215 2 3	20,000	45,879	173

TURBARY (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.

LXXXV.—RETURN showing the Number of Applications received during the period from 5th August, 1891, to 31st March, 1893.

There was one application received. The following are the particulars thereof:—

County.	Area in Statute Measure of the property proposed to be sold.	Price required.
Donegal,	163 2 29	1,000

The application was refused.

RESULTS

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Participants in the study ranged in age from 18 years to 65 years. Characteristics are shown in Table 1.

11. *Leucosia* (Leucosia) *leucostoma* (Fabricius) (Fig. 11)

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FINANCIAL.

TEMPORALITIES OF LATE ESTABLISHED CHURCH.

LXXXVII.—ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS in the FINANCIAL YEAR 1893-4
(EXCLUDING SALES).

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
Tithe Rent-Charge,	279,474	Annual Charge, Irish Church Act Loan,	215,504
Perpetuity Rents,	45,004	Do., Relief of Distress Act Loan,	44,802
Rents, Renewable Leases, &c.,	8,481	Do., Accrues of Rent Act Loan,	10,271
Interest, Simple Mortgages,	34,000	Do., Relief of Distressed Unions Loans,	2,400
Do., Converted Leases,	6,010	Do., Sea Fisheries Loans,	20,906
Tithe Annuities,	170,000	Do., Poor Relief Act Loans,	1,338
Land Annuities,	45,007	Do., Intermediate Education Board,	22,300
City House Mortgages,	10	Do., National School Teachers' Fund,	20,000
		Do., Royal University,	20,000
Total Church Revenue,	437,474	Do., Congregated District Board,	41,000
Relief of Distress, Repayment,	88,000	Interest, Seed Supply Act,	2,000
Miscellaneous,	4,400	Church Annuities, Pensions, &c.,	4,000
		Poor Rate Allowed,	20,000
		Expenses of Collection and Management, &c.,	27,007
Balance (Debit),	45,006	Income Tax, balance of payments over receipts,	2,000
	486,427		486,427

LXXXVIII.—PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHURCH PROPERTY AND GENERAL COLLECTION BRANCH,
44 & 45 Victoria, Chap. 71.

I. ANNUITIES OUTSTANDING ON 31ST MARCH, 1893.

Head of Account,	No.	Amount.
		£ s. d.
Incumbents,	8	1,914 9 2
Curates,	7	745 0 0
Vicars-General,	1	243 10 0
Clarks, Sextons, &c.,	125	1,003 12 0
Nonconformist Ministers,	5	345 3 6
Assistants, 44th Section,	4	614 10 0
Total,	150	4,937 4 6

II. SALES OF PROPERTY.

Head of Account,	No. of Items sold,	Annual Rent or Value,	Purchase Money,
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Yearly and other Tenures,	3	73 16 0	1,456 0 0
Perpetuity Rents,	3	173 6 4	4,075 0 0
Tithe Rentcharge for Cash,	193	2,154 7 0	44,335 16 7
Do. on Loan,	36	760 17 2	16,324 10 11

Arrears of Revenue at 31st March, 1893, £215,311 4s. 6d.

FINANCIAL.

ARREARS OF RENT ACT, 45 & 46 VICTORIA, CHAP. 47.

LXXXIX.—PROCEEDINGS from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March, 1893, under the Arrears of Rent (Ireland) Act, 1882.

Section 1, sub-section 1.

Amount paid.	Amount remaining unpaid.	Number of cases in which payment has not yet been made.
£ s. d. 3 6 0	£ s. d. 3,767 2 10	503

Section 1, sub-section 5.

Amount paid.	Amount remaining unpaid.	Number of cases in which payment has not yet been made.
£ s. d. Nil.	£ s. d. 607 13 2	106

Section 16.

Amount advanced.	Amount remaining undrawn.	Number of cases pending.
£ s. d. Nil.	£ s. d. 91 19 7	4

Section 17.

Nature of claim.	No. of claims.	Amount claimed to be realized.	Amount of Rent entitled to have been extinguished.	
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Revision of Tithe Rent-charge, . . .	Nil.	Nil.		Nil.
" Income Tax, . . .	3	(Not Assessed).	1,037 5 8	
" Quit Rent, . . .	Nil.	Nil.		Nil.

APPENDIX TO REPORT OF THE

TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

RETURN of the AVERAGE PRICES of IRISH AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE in the PROVINCES and for the WHOLE of IRELAND, for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1893, together with DIAGRAMS of the RISE and FALL in the Average Prices from year to year, from 1887 to 1892, inclusive, and from month to month for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1893.

(a.)—RETURN of Average Prices of Agricultural Produce for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1893, compared with those for the corresponding Quarter in 1892.

PRODUCT.	PROVINCE OF								WHOLE OF IRELAND.	
	LEINSTER.		MUNSTER.		ULSTER.		CONNAUGHT.			
	Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending			
	31st March, 1892.	31st March, 1893.	31st March, 1892.							
Crops	£ s. d.									
Wheat, . . . per cwt.	0 0 1	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 24	0 1 0	0 0 50	0 0 3	0 0 30	0 0 20	
Oats,	0 0 7	0 0 30	0 0 2	0 0 47	0 0 6	0 0 31	0 0 4	0 0 31	0 0 3	
Barley,	0 0 5	0 0 70	0 0 7	0 0 10	—	—	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 8	
Pink, . . . per cwt.	—	—	—	—	0 1 8	—	—	—	0 1 5	
Peas, . . . per cwt.	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 7	0 0 7	0 0 2	0 0 8	0 0 1	0 0 70	0 0 40	
Hay,	0 0 8	0 0 11	0 0 0	0 0 8	0 0 10	0 0 0	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 8	
Turnips,	0 0 6	0 0 8	0 0 6	0 0 16	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 6	
Beet,	0 0 6	0 0 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	0 0 6	
Motions,	0 0 6	0 0 10	0 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	0 0 6	
Pork,	—	—	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 10	0 0 8	
Wool, per lb.	0 0 04	0 0 09	0 0 6	0 0 6	—	—	—	—	0 0 04	
Rents, per £100.	—	0 7 10	—	0 7 10	—	0 7 6	—	0 7 0	—	

* Eggs not reported in 1892.

(b.)—RETURN of Average Prices per cwt. (live weight) of Store Cattle sold at certain Fairs throughout Ireland for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1893, compared with those for the corresponding Quarter, 1892.

CATTLE.	PROVINCE OF								WHOLE OF IRELAND.	
	LEINSTER.		MUNSTER.		ULSTER.		CONNAUGHT.			
	Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending			
	31st March, 1892.	31st March, 1893.	31st March, 1892.							
1st Class—One year old, . . .	£ s. d.									
— Two year old, . . .	—	—	2 0 1	1 0 0	—	—	—	—	1 0 0	
— Three year old, . . .	1 7 6	—	3 0 20	—	—	—	—	—	1 0 0	
2nd Class—One year old, . . .	—	—	1 7 3	1 0 0	1 0 0	—	—	—	1 0 0	
— Two year old, . . .	1 0 18	1 0 0	1 0 7	0 10 0	—	—	1 0 8	—	1 0 10	
— Three year old, . . .	—	2 0 0	—	0 10 0	—	—	1 0 7	—	1 0 0	
3rd Class—One year old, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
— Two year old, . . .	1 1 8	—	1 0 0	0 10 0	—	—	—	—	1 0 5	
— Three year old, . . .	—	—	0 10 0	1 0 0	—	—	—	—	0 10 0	

SHEEP.

Wt.	+	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—continued.

(c.)—RETURN of Average Prices of Store Cattle, grouped according to Age and Quality, Springers being grouped according to Quality only, for the Quarter ending 31st March, 1893, compared with corresponding Quarter in 1892.

CATTLE.	PROVINCE OF								WHOLE OF IRELAND.	
	LEINSTER.		MUNSTER.		ULSTER.		CONNAUGHT.			
	Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending		Quarter ending			
	31st March, 1892.	31st March, 1893.	31st March, 1892.							
1st Class—One year old,	£ 8 6 d.									
— Two year old,	8 15 6	8 17 1	8 15 5	8 15 4	8 15 3	8 15 2	8 15 1	8 15 0	8 15 0	
— Three year old,	8 12 0	8 13 0	8 12 0	8 12 1	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	
— Springers,	10 16 8	10 16 0	10 16 8	10 16 1	—	10 16 4	10 16 8	10 16 1	10 16 6	
2nd Class—One year old,	14 1 3	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	15 2 0	
— Two year old,	—	8 8 0	4 15 8	4 15 7	8 14 0	4 15 1	4 8 0	4 7 11	4 15 10	
— Three year old,	8 7 6	11 13 0	7 18 8	8 11 0	7 18 7	9 12 0	8 8 0	8 11 0	7 10 10	
— Springers,	8 6 8	8 6 2	10 8 6	8 12 0	12 0 0	7 16 0	11 18 0	10 20 0	9 12 0	
3rd Class—One year old,	10 32 0	10 1 0	10 17 8	10 7 6	10 12 0	10 8 7	10 22 0	10 15 0	10 18 0	
— Two year old,	—	8 10 0	8 14 0	8 13 7	8 7 0	8 2 1	8 21 0	8 18 0	8 10 10	
— Three year old,	—	7 8 0	8 2 0	8 16 1	8 1 0	8 11 0	7 11 0	7 10 0	8 10 0	
— Springers,	—	8 12 0	8 13 0	10 16 0	8 6 0	7 7 0	10 2 0	8 11 0	8 22 0	

SHEEP.

Lambs,	—	—	1 2 0	1 4 0	—	—	1 2 0	—	1 6 10	1 4 0
Wigglers,	—	1 1 1	1 10 0	1 1 4	—	1 12 0	1 7 0	1 18 0	1 6 10	1 8 0
Two year old and down,	—	1 5 0	1 18 4	1 18 0	1 18 0	1 18 7	1 18 0	1 18 0	1 18 4	1 18 0

(d.)—RETURN of Average Prices of Store Cattle, compiled from the preceding Table, the figures representing the Average Prices of Animals of similar age, irrespective of class, Springers of all ages being grouped together.

WHOLE OF IRELAND.

Cattle.	Quater ending 31st March, 1892.	Quater ending 31st March, 1893.
One year old,	£ 8 6 d.	£ 8 6 d.
Two years old,	8 17 0	8 15 6
Three years old,	10 7 0	8 18 0
Springers,	10 22 0	10 2 0

TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—continued.

(a.)—RETURN of the Average Prices per cwt., live weight, of Fat Cattle and Fat Sheep sold in the Dublin Market for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1898, and for the corresponding Quarter in 1892.

Description of Animal.	Quality.	—	January.		February.		March		Quarters ended 31st March.	
			1892.	1898.	1892.	1898.	1892.	1898.	1892.	1898.
Heifers, . . .	Prime and good,	Highest, . . .	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4	2 12 4
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 18 10	1 18 6	1 18 2	1 18 6	1 18 7	1 18 6	1 18 10	1 18 10
Do., . . .	Inferior, . . .	Highest, . . .	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 7 10	—	—	—	1 18 1	1 6 6	1 18 6	1 6 6
Bullocks, . . .	Prime and good,	Highest, . . .	1 18 0	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 0	1 18 0	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 18 6	1 18 2	1 18 1	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6
Do., . . .	Inferior, . . .	Highest, . . .	1 8 7	1 18 6	1 18 6	—	1 18 6	1 6 6	1 18 6	1 6 7
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 6 4	1 6 3	1 6 2	—	1 18 0	1 8 10	1 8 6	1 8 6
Geese, . . .	Prime and good,	Highest, . . .	1 18 11	1 18 11	1 18 1	1 8 6	1 18 4	1 18 12	1 18 1	1 18 6
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 18 6	1 8 6	1 18 6	1 8 7	1 18 6	1 6 4	1 18 10	1 7 6
Do., . . .	Inferior, . . .	Highest, . . .	1 8 6	—	1 8 6	—	—	1 4 2	1 8 6	1 8 1
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	—	—	1 8 6	—	—	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 8 6
Wethers, . . .	Prime and good,	Highest, . . .	1 18 0	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 7	1 18 6	1 18 6
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 18 10	1 18 6	1 18 6	1 18 1	1 18 6	1 18 10	1 18 11	1 18 1
Do., . . .	Inferior, . . .	Highest, . . .	—	—	—	—	1 18 6	—	1 18 6	—
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sheep, . . .	Prime and good,	Highest, . . .	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 7	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 1	1 12 1
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6	1 12 6
Do., . . .	Inferior, . . .	Highest, . . .	—	—	1 6 3	1 12 6	1 12 6	—	1 12 6	1 6 6
Do., . . .	do., . . .	Lowest, . . .	—	—	1 6 3	—	1 12 6	—	1 12 6	1 6 6

TABLE XCL.—LEAFLET issued by Irish Land Commission as to use of mixture of Sulphate of Copper and Lime in checking Potato Disease.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

POTATO DISEASE.

INSTRUCTIONS for the APPLICATION of SULPHATE of COPPER and LIME MIXTURE to the POTATO PLANT for the prevention of Potato Disease by the means of "Knapseed Sprayers."

1. The dressing should be applied about a fortnight before the earliest period at which disease has been known to make its appearance in the locality; the period of application in Ireland would therefore vary from the beginning of June in early districts to the latter end of July in late districts.

2. The dressing should be applied by means of a spraying machine, specially constructed for the purpose of throwing a fine mist-like spray, with which the foliage of the potato plant should be covered. Many spraying machines are sold, suitable for horse and hand power—the "Strawson" and "Elair" knapsack sprayers, costing 35s. each, have proved very satisfactory; they can be worked by one man, and can be procured through any dealer in agricultural implements. Knapseed sprayers are the most suitable for use on small areas; the following instructions have been prepared on the assumption that such sprayers will be used.

PREPARATION OF THE MIXTURE.

3. To prepare twenty-five gallons of the mixture, the quantity which one man can apply to an ordinary crop in three hours with a knapsack sprayer:—

(a.) Put twenty gallons of cold water into a wooden, tub or cask—an empty paraffin barrel, with the head taken off, will take admirably—and put five gallons of cold water into another vessel.

(b.) Take five pounds of powdered copper sulphate (if the copper sulphate is not powdered, break it fine with a hammer); put the copper sulphate into a piece of coarse sacking, and suspend the sacking in the vessel containing twenty gallons of water so that the copper sulphate may readily dissolve in the water; the powdered copper sulphate should dissolve in about fifteen minutes; it may be stirred frequently to promote dissolution.

(c.) Put 2½ lbs. of freshly burned, pure, unslaked lime into a vessel, add sufficient water thereto from the vessel containing five gallons of water to slake the lime; when the lime is thoroughly slaked add enough water from the five-gallon vessel to thoroughly cool the lime, thus producing a thin milk of lime, then pour any water remaining in the five-gallon vessel into the twenty-gallon vessel containing the copper sulphate.

(d.) When the copper sulphate has been completely dissolved, stir it well with a stick and then pour the milk of lime slowly into the copper sulphate solution, stirring the whole continuously, and continue stirring for five minutes; the mixture should then appear azure blue in colour; the mixture should then be allowed to rest for five minutes; after resting for five minutes the liquid should appear perfectly clear for a few inches in depth, the clearness of the liquid can be tested by holding a piece of white paper a few inches below the surface; if instead of appearing clear the liquid to the depth mentioned is slightly tinged with blue, slack four ounces of lime as before, add it to the mixture and stir thoroughly again, repeating this process if necessary until the upper portion of the liquid appears clear after having been allowed to rest for a few minutes, the mixture being then ready for use.

4. Prepare whatever quantity of the above mixture may be required, using the ingredients in the following proportions, namely:—

20 lbs. of copper sulphate.

10 lbs. of lime.

100 gallons of water.

The copper sulphate may be left in solution for a considerable period, but the lime water should be freshly made and added to the copper sulphate solution immediately before use.

APPLICATION.

5. Stir the mixture thoroughly, then fill the cylinder of the knapsack sprayer, using a wooden or copper vessel for the purpose; the operator should then strap the machine on his back, and proceed to dress the crop, working the sprayer according to the directions sent out with each machine: the operator should walk slowly between the drills or lay beds, and thoroughly spray the plants on each side from below and from above, pumping with one hand so as to maintain a steady pressure, and directing the nozzle with the other hand so as to throw the spray over every portion of the plants; if the foliage is very rank, meeting across the drills, the operator should walk backwards to avoid breaking the mixture off the plants with his clothes.

6. Important matters to be attended to:—

1. Spray during dry weather, so that the mixture may remain on the foliage; if heavy rain falls within six hours after spraying, it would be desirable to spray again on the first favourable opportunity.

2. Use only pure copper sulphate, guaranteed to be of 5d per cwt. purity; buy it powdered, or powder it before use; ordinary commercial sulphate of copper contains a large amount of sulphate of iron, and should not be used. Pure copper sulphate costs about 1s. per stone when purchased in small quantities, and can be obtained from the leading druggists.

3. If the sulphate of copper is impure, and contains much sulphate of iron, the mixture when prepared will appear greenish or brownish, instead of being deep azure blue in colour.

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4. Take care that the lime used is pure, well burnt, and unslacked.
5. Cold water should invariably be used in preparing the mixture; hot water should not be used. The lime, after being slacked, should be quite cool before being added to the copper sulphate solution; it may be cooled by adding cold water.
6. Iron vessels should not be used in preparing or handling the mixture—wooden or copper vessels should be used for such purposes.
7. Empty paraffin barrels have been found very suitable for the preparation of the mixture; it will generally be found most convenient to prepare the mixture in the field in which it is to be used.
8. The mixture should be well stirred with a stick or piece of wood on each occasion before a fresh supply is drawn for the spraying machine.
9. The spraying machines should be oiled before being used; as there is a good deal of india-rubber in the working parts of the "Eclair," pure olive oil should be used for lubricating; ordinary machine oil should be avoided, as it frequently contains paraffin, which dissolves india-rubber.
10. One man steered by a boy can apply about nine or ten gallons of dressing with a knapsack spraying machine in one hour. One boy can attend three men using knapsack sprayers, carrying fresh supplies of dressing to them.
11. The quantity of the mixture to be applied per acre is approximately as follows—the mixture when prepared costing about one halfpenny per gallon:—

	Per British Acre.	Per Irish Acre.
For an average crop of champions with fully developed foliage,	190 gallons.	160 gallons.
For a crop of champions with more than the average amount of foliage,	150 gallons.	240 gallons.
For a crop of champions with a small development of foliage,	80 gallons.	130 gallons.

12. When dressing potato plants which are very young, or of tender-leaved varieties, it would be desirable to weaken the mixture by the addition of one-third more water than the quantity specified in the instructions given above.

13. Sulphate of copper being a poison, the vessels in which the mixture is prepared should not afterwards be used for holding food or drink for animals.

TABLE XCII.—COPY of RETURN laid before Parliament when the
Land Purchase (Ireland) Act, 1891, was under discussion.

(House of Commons, 180, Sess. 1891.)

TABLE XCII.—COPY OF RETURNS laid before Parliament when
(House of Commons,RETURN relating to all HOLDINGS in IRELAND, classified according as the Valuation is
Value of the Guarantee Fund for

This RETURN has been framed solely for the purpose of providing some indication of the relative chances of
country, under the different schemes for which figures are given. No attempt has been made to show the amount
being impossible for the reasons specified in Note (a).

PROVINCE AND COUNTY.	Number of Holdings Valued.		Total Number.	Amount of Valuation of Holdings.		Total Valuation.	(b)	
				Over £10.	£10 and under.		Holdings over £10.	Holdings £10 and under.
	Over £10.	£10 and under.		Over £10.	£10 and under.		Holdings over £10.	Holdings £10 and under.
Ulster:								
(a) Antrim,	2,011	18,912	31,229	180,115	302,228	380,370	8,000,024	3,454,526
Armagh,	879	12,036	10,574	32,031	224,588	301,394	1,450,000	4,041,902
Cavan,	415	10,287	10,791	40,589	200,982	241,305	726,444	2,441,708
Donegal,	613	10,567	11,386	37,360	301,671	300,001	1,070,420	3,548,198
Derry,	3,655	14,020	17,085	262,020	346,098	514,236	4,380,000	6,317,000
Fermanagh,	613	11,938	11,501	47,314	181,756	205,970	844,829	2,039,710
(b) Londonderry,	519	14,320	16,367	76,082	187,079	201,107	1,390,578	3,247,200
Monaghan,	419	10,424	17,942	38,077	196,390	220,987	721,386	3,456,390
Tyrone,	814	10,315	16,697	74,356	201,620	260,620	1,356,329	3,146,388
Total,	8,574	154,418	192,300	850,407	1,126,756	1,370,145	15,361,206	29,302,200
Leinster:								
Carlow,	265	8,738	8,489	32,548	65,004	164,923	1,600,004	1,115,670
(a) Dublin,	2,900	8,365	7,201	296,439	71,388	387,710	4,750,000	1,119,054
Wicklow,	1,024	8,086	8,118	291,331	73,671	274,900	8,070,000	1,275,708
Kilkenny,	1,876	12,935	13,718	148,040	211,919	382,380	8,044,700	1,201,700
King's,	983	8,761	10,741	209,240	207,302	211,311	1,562,302	1,020,726
Laois,	465	7,931	8,864	41,870	65,187	100,977	100,000	1,078,320
Louth,	711	11,120	1,206	67,385	21,429	171,239	1,700,004	1,271,400
Meath,	1,403	8,950	11,820	357,363	214,670	559,358	7,251,174	2,005,600
Offaly,	1,045	8,126	10,841	116,887	204,001	221,408	2,000,000	1,102,715
Westmeath,	1,306	8,641	10,870	202,580	114,665	271,045	2,001,000	1,201,000
Wexford,	1,055	14,123	15,754	249,085	190,384	350,000	2,000,004	1,401,300
Wicklow,	1,103	8,347	7,850	154,326	85,325	217,608	2,000,004	1,079,600
Total,	18,008	162,229	117,856	1,890,830	1,178,323	1,187,000	34,004,000	22,078,614
Munster:								
Galway,	1,344	20,079	34,106	236,897	246,320	400,823	3,200,000	4,400,000
Limerick,	1,156	14,200	16,277	132,000	115,678	121,303	200,000	9,001,700
Mayo,	704	14,207	16,086	90,756	186,000	97,777	1,620,000	2,002,718
Roscommon,	506	16,658	18,359	214,100	130,068	271,300	2,001,304	2,000,000
Sligo,	506	14,078	18,479	90,006	131,306	180,808	200,000	2,071,704
Total,	3,000	113,007	109,587	467,300	864,813	1,387,823	8,000,000	14,306,740
Connacht:								
Clare,	995	10,807	17,896	184,318	184,106	285,347	1,000,000	3,712,900
(a) Cork,	4,336	30,245	36,279	621,558	444,334	851,705	7,000,000	7,000,700
Kerry,	684	18,335	18,077	84,079	105,599	244,986	100,000	2,420,400
(b) Limerick,	5,035	12,255	15,871	241,300	126,342	480,115	4,000,000	5,005,705
Tipperary,	8,719	60,006	51,204	691,305	581,386	598,176	5,200,000	8,000,004
(a) Waterford,	1,522	7,878	10,000	245,907	136,008	264,770	2,000,000	3,014,807
Total,	33,700	100,775	121,586	1,256,004	1,107,000	1,287,701	22,000,004	25,528,904
TOTAL FOR IRELAND,	41,372	811,077	852,700	4,692,005	3,684,840	3,123,825	30,000,004	32,170,200

(a) The number of holdings is taken from the Agricultural Statistics for 1910, but includes many thousands of holdings which could not come into the Act when in operation. Those already dealt with under the Agricultural and Pastoral Purchase Act, lands occupied as agricultural and pastoral land, and lands held under leases for agricultural and pastoral purposes, the holding of which would require a greater advance than £10,000, holding as successive held under leasehold at annual rents in respect of each of which it is not possible to obtain returns without an inquiry from the owners of the holdings as to the circumstances of their tenure, and other matters, which it is not necessary to make.

(b) The estimate of the amount required for purchase has been calculated roughly as an average of 20 times the tenement valuation, although that valuation is an estimate, based upon which to estimate value in individual cases, will, in the aggregate, it appears to be more suitable than any other method of calculation. The amount given in the Purchase Table is to the Annual Report of the Land Commission. The "value" in these tables includes not only initial rents, but other rents, some of which are paid bimonthly, and others considerably above the annual value.

the Land Purchase (Ireland) Act, 1891, was under discussion.
280, Session 1891.)

(1) over £50; (2) £50 and under; with Estimates as to the Allocation of the Capitalised Purchase, on the assumptions stated below.

purchase, which would generally be enjoyed by occupiers of holdings valued over and under £50, in each case valuation of land in Ireland that would fall to be dealt with by a Land Purchase Bill, any such attempt

40. This sum does not include the capitalized value of the £1000 Royal Naval Society Fund set up the South African Deep Dive Committee, nor of the £10,000 International Maritime Trustees' Grant from the Irish Share of Local Taxation (Enterprise and Excise) Division, neither of which is at present preferable to allocate to the country. The figures showing the Committee Fund are the amounts estimated for the financial year, 1961-62. No allowance has been made for the probable growth of the Committee.

65 General Grant in respect to the Office of Estate, Cork, Belfast, Limerick, Louth, and Waterford, have been excluded from the Guarantees Fund.

66 From these 1(a) shows that these figures include the purchase-money of many thousands of holdings which could not come under the Act when in operation.

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TABLE XCIII.—PURCHASE OF LAND (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.

RULES MADE BY THE TREASURY.

44 & 45 Vict.,
c. 42
as at 26 Vict.,
+ 1891

The Land Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the powers conferred by Section 34 of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, and Section 27 of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, hereby, without prejudice to any further exercise of the said powers, make the following Rules:

LAND PURCHASE ACCOUNT.

Accounts.

1.—(1.) The Land Commission will keep in their books a general account to be called the Land Purchase Account.

(2.) The Land Commission will also keep in their books a separate account of each purchase annuity included in the Land Purchase Account.

(3.) In such separate account every instalment of a purchase annuity will be applied as directed by Section 4 of the Act of 1891.

(4.) For the purposes of account, the instalments of annuities received on or before the twelfth day of August or twelfth day of February next following the date on which they become due shall be treated as current instalments of annuities, subject to the adjustment of any amount belonging to the purchaser's insurance account or the county percentage account which may have been temporarily applied in payment of dividends.

(5.) For the purposes of account, all instalments of annuities received after the said twelfth day of August and twelfth day of February shall be treated as arrears, and (except so far as they consist of purchasers' insurance money) shall be credited to the Guarantee Fund in reduction of the debt from the Land Purchase Account to that fund.

2.—(1.) The Land Commission will keep a general account of all sums received, paid, or set off on account of purchasers' insurance money.

(2.) They will also keep a separate account of the purchaser's insurance money received, paid, or set off on account of each purchase annuity.

(3.) Such interest as is equivalent (so nearly as may be) to the average rate of interest earned on the investments by the National Debt Commissioners as hereinbefore mentioned of the purchasers' insurance money, shall be credited to the account of each purchase annuity by the Land Commission, and shall be taken into account in any set-off.

(4.) Where, under Sub-section 5 of Section 8 of the Act of 1891, a sum on account of any purchaser's insurance money is set off against any unpaid instalment or part of an instalment of an annuity, that sum shall be debited against the purchaser's insurance money; and there shall be credited thereto any repayment of the amount so set off, which is effected under the said sub-section by an addition to the purchaser's annuity.

(5.) The Land Commission, under Sub-section 6 of Section 8 of the Act of 1891, shall not set off any purchaser's insurance money against that part of the arrear which is not required to pay the interest and the sinking fund in respect of an amount of stock equal to the amount of the advance, that is to say, three pounds fifteen shillings per cent. on the advance.

(6.) When the purchaser's insurance money is applied in pursuance of Sub-section 1 of Section 8 of the Act of 1891 in reduction of the purchase annuity, the same shall be dealt with in account in manner provided by rules hereafter to be made.

RESERVE FUND.

Account and Investment.

3.—(1.) The Reserve Fund shall be under the direction of the Treasury, who shall keep an account of the receipts into and payments out of the Fund.

(2.) The cash for the time being standing to the credit of the Reserve Fund, so far as not used for temporary advances to the Guarantee Fund under Rule 7, shall be paid to the National Debt Commissioners, and be invested by them in Government securities.

(3.) The dividends on those securities shall form part of the cash of the Reserve Fund, and be dealt with accordingly.

(4.) The National Debt Commissioners, when required by the Treasury, shall sell securities to provide cash for the purpose of advances under Rule 7.

GUARANTEE FUND.

Account.

4.—(1.) The Guarantee Fund shall be under the direction of the Treasury, who shall keep an account of the cash portion of the Fund, showing separately the payments made thereto in respect of—

- (a.) The Irish probate duty grant;
- (b.) The Exchequer contribution; and
- (c.) The county percentage.

(2.) In the case of payments from the Guarantee Fund to the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account, any advance which has been made to the Land Purchase Account from the Guarantee Fund not repaid, shall for the purpose of account be deducted, first, from the Irish probate duty grant; secondly, from the Exchequer contribution; and thirdly, from the county percentage; so that, if the whole of the advance is met out of the Irish probate duty grant, the full amount of the Exchequer contribution and the county percentage will be treated as payable to the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account.

(3.) Any amount so deducted shall be a debt from the Land Purchase Account to the Guarantee Fund, and be repayable out of sums subsequently received in respect of annuities and not required for current payments in accordance with Section four of the Act of 1891.

(4.) Where any advance is made to the Land Purchase Account out of the Guarantee Fund, any sum received from the Land Purchase Account for the repayment of that advance shall, save as provided by Rule 17, be credited in account, so as to make good the sum used for such advance out of the funds and moneys hereinafter mentioned, and shall be so credited in the following order, namely, first, to the Reserve Fund; secondly, to the county percentage; thirdly, to the Exchequer contribution; and fourthly, to the Irish Protest duty grant.

CASE ARRANGEMENTS.

5.—(1.) On the last week-day before the first day of July and the first day of January in every year there shall be paid to the Bank of Ireland or England, as the case requires, from the Land Purchase Account, a sufficient sum to pay the dividends on guaranteed land stock which will become payable on the next dividend day. Dividends.

(2.) Three days previously to the first day of July and the first day of January in every year, if the cash standing to the Land Purchase Account is insufficient to pay the said dividends and interest, the Land Commission shall certify the sum to the Treasury, who shall cause an advance to be made to the Land Purchase Account out of the cash standing to the credit of the Guarantee Fund, and, if that is insufficient, out of the Consolidated Fund.

(3.) Any advance so made out of the Consolidated Fund shall be as soon as possible repaid from the Guarantee Fund.

(4.) Every sum so repaid, and every sum advanced out of the Guarantee Fund, shall, as soon as possible, be repaid out of the Land Purchase Account.

6. (1.) On the fifteenth day of August and the fifteenth day of February in every year (in these Rules referred to as the days for sinking fund payments) there shall be paid from the Land Purchase Account to the National Debt Commissioners the half-yearly amounts due on account of the sinking fund. Payment of Sinking Fund.

(2.) Three days previously to any such day, if the cash standing to the Land Purchase Account is insufficient for that payment, the Land Commission shall certify the deficiency to the Treasury, who shall advance the sum out of the Guarantee Fund, and if that is insufficient, out of the Consolidated Fund.

(3.) Any advance so made out of the Consolidated Fund shall be repaid as soon as possible out of the Guarantee Fund.

(4.) Every sum so repaid, and every sum advanced out of the Guarantee Fund, shall as soon as possible be repaid out of the Land Purchase Account.

7.—If at any time the cash portion of the Guarantee Fund is insufficient to meet payments under these Rules, the Treasury may, if they think fit, direct an advance to be made temporarily out of the Reserve Fund to the Guarantee Fund, and such advance shall be as soon as possible repaid out of the Guarantee Fund, and until so repaid shall be a charge on the Guarantee Fund. Use of Reserve Fund.

8.—(1.) On such periodical days as the Treasury may from time to time fix, the Land Commission shall pay to the National Debt Commissioners a sum equal to the amount received since the last payment on account of purchasers' insurance money, after deducting the amount of any sums set off against unpaid instalments or parts of instalments, and shall certify to the National Debt Commissioners the amount so paid and deducted. Purchasers' Insurance.

(2.) If the amount of the purchasers' insurance money so set off since the last payment exceeds the amount of the receipts for purchasers' insurance money the Land Commission shall certify the excess to the National Debt Commissioners, who shall pay the same to the Land Purchase Account out of the Sinking Fund.

9.—(1.) In the month of March in every year, there shall be paid from the Land Purchase Account to the County per centage, and the Land Commission shall certify to the Treasury the amount paid in respect of each county. County per centage.

(2.) The amount so paid shall, unless required for meeting any charge on the Guarantee Fund then accrued, be forthwith paid from the Guarantee Fund to the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account, and a copy of such certificate shall be at the same time sent to the Lord Lieutenant. Purchasers' Insurance.

10. On the seventeenth day of August and the seventeenth day of February in every year, and at such other times (if any) as the Treasury may direct, there shall be paid from the Guarantee Fund, Payment to Local Taxation Account.

(a.) To the reserve fund, until the reserve fund amounts to two hundred thousand pounds, the amount of the Exchequer contribution, and

(b.) To the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account, the cash then standing to the Guarantee Fund, except what is required for meeting the above payment to the Reserve Fund, and any charge on the Fund then accrued:

and the Treasury, on making such payment, shall certify to the Lord Lieutenant the amounts paid in respect of the Exchequer contribution and the Irish Protest duty grant respectively, and, on making the February payment, shall also certify to the Lord Lieutenant the amount deducted in respect of each county for the purpose of meeting deficiencies under the Act of 1891.

CREATION AND ISSUE OF GUARANTEED LAND STOCK.

11. (1.) When the Land Commission require, or are likely to require, guaranteed land stock for the purpose of issuing the same under the Act of 1891, they shall apply to the Treasury, stating the amount of stock which they expect to require for issue during periods to be specified by the Treasury from time to time.

(2.) The Treasury shall thereupon send to the Bank of Ireland or Bank of England, a warrant authorising the Bank to create the amount of stock specified in the warrant, and the Bank may thereupon issue stock as hereinafter mentioned to an aggregate amount not exceeding the amount so authorised to be created.

(3.) The Land Commission may direct the issue of stock by warrants to the Bank of Ireland, or Bank of England, specifying the amount of stock to be inscribed, and the names or account in or to which the stock is to be inscribed.

(4.) The bank shall issue the stock, by inscribing the amount of stock specified in the warrant of the Land Commission, in the names and to the account directed by the warrant.

(5.) Dividends on stock so issued shall commence from the first of the dividend days, namely, the first day of July, or the first day of January, which occurs next after the date of the warrant directing its issue, unless it is dated on a dividend day, in which case dividends shall commence from that day.

(6.) On the first dividend day from which dividends on the stock commence, the Land Commissioners shall, out of the Land Purchase Account, pay to the person in whose name, or to the account to which the stock is

first inscribed, interest at the rate of two and three quarters per cent. per annum on the nominal amount of the stock for the period between the date at which the advance represented by the stock is made and that dividend day.

(7.) The stock issued from time to time shall, as soon as practicable, be consolidated with the guaranteed land stock previously issued.

(8.) The warrants of the Treasury, and of the Land Commission, in pursuance of these Rules, shall be a sufficient authority to the Bank of Ireland and Bank of England for doing the things thereby directed.

(9.) The regulations under Section four of the National Debt Act, 1889, shall apply to guaranteed land stock.

12.—Where an amount of guaranteed land stock is retained for the guarantee deposit, the guaranteed land stock will be inscribed in the name of the Land Commission.

SINKING FUND.

13. The first payment towards the Sinking Fund for any stock shall be made on the day for Sinking Fund payments which occurs next after the day for the payment of the first instalment of the purchase annuity for repaying the advance made by the issue of such stock.

14. The sums paid to the National Debt Commissioners on account of the Sinking Fund (including the purchasers' insurance-money), shall, together with any income arising from investments on account of the fund, be applied by them in the purchase or redemption of guaranteed land stock, and until so applied, shall be invested by them in securities charged on or guaranteed by the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

15. Guaranteed land stock when so purchased or redeemed may be cancelled; but the amount which, if such stock were not cancelled, would be payable out of purchase annuities on account of the dividends and Sinking Fund on the nominal amount thereof shall be paid from the Land Purchase Account to the Sinking Fund, and for the purpose of Rule 14 shall be deemed to be income arising from investments on account of the Sinking Fund.

Provided that in the event of the Treasury, in pursuance of Sub-section (2) of S. 9 of the Act of 1891, authorising additional advances in any county not exceeding the capital value for the time being of the Sinking Fund therein mentioned, and in the event of its appearing to the Treasury that the payment of annuities in that county has fallen into arrear, and that there is a probability that the share of that county in the cash and contingent portion of the Guarantee Fund will be annually exhausted in meeting the deficiency of the Land Purchase Account, the Treasury may suspend or postpone the payment of the dividends and Sinking Fund on the stock cancelled, or such part thereof as they think will probably become an annual charge on the Consolidated Fund.

16.—(1.)—An account shall be kept by the National Debt Commissioners of the total sums received by them on account of purchasers' insurance money, and of the investments made of such sums, and of the income derived from such investments and the investment of income, and shall debit to such account any amount paid by them to the Land Purchase Account, as specified in Rule 8.

(2.) If any payment is required to be made by the National Debt Commissioners on account of purchasers' insurance money, that money may be paid out of any cash in hand on account of the Sinking Fund, or raised by the sale of securities held on that account, as the case may require.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Guarantee Deposit.

17.—(1.) Where the guarantee deposit has been used to make good any arrear, and any sum in respect of such arrear which is subsequently received from the sale of the holding or otherwise, is repaid to the Guarantee Fund, one-half of that sum shall be restored to the guarantee deposit.

(2.) If in any other case any sum is repaid to the Guarantee Fund from the Land Purchase Account in discharge of a sum, the burden of which has been borne by that fund, the benefit of such sum shall be adjusted in accordance with Sub-section (4) of S. 6 of the Act of 1891, in accordance with the mode in which the burden of the original payment of that sum was borne.

Returns.

18. The Land Commission shall send to the Treasury for presentation to Parliament as soon as practicable after the first day of April in each year, and at such other times as the Treasury may direct, the returns which are required under Section 33 of the Act of 1891, made up to the last day of the preceding month.

19. The Land Commission shall forthwith inform the Treasury whenever it appears that the amount advanced in any county is approaching the limit of the share of that county.

20. The Land Commission shall supply the National Debt Commissioners with such information as will enable the National Debt Commissioners to perform their duties under these Rules, and shall be responsible to the National Debt Commissioners for the accuracy of the information so supplied.

Calculation of Taxes.

21. In counting days for the purposes of these Rules, Sundays and Bank Holidays shall be excluded, and if the day on which anything is directed to be done falls on a Sunday or a Bank Holiday, the same shall be done on the next following day.

Definition.

22. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires—

The expression "year" means the financial year ending the thirty-first day of March.

The expression "the Act of 1891" means the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891.

Other expressions have the same meaning as in the Act of 1891.

Let copies of these Rules be laid before both Houses of Parliament, pursuant to Section 27 of the Act of 1891.

Treasury Chambers,
26 February, 1892.

TABLE XCIV.
EXCHANGE OF GUARANTEED LAND STOCK.

TREASURY MINUTE, dated the 25th July, 1892.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer calls the attention of the Board to section 15 of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891 (54 & 55 Vict. c. 48), which provides that

"All persons, including the National Debt Commissioners, shall have the like power of investing in the said 'Guaranteed Land' Stock as they have in Consolidated Annuities, and the National Debt Commissioners shall, within the limits fixed by the Treasury in communication with them, give on application Consolidated Annuities in exchange for an equal nominal amount of Guaranteed Land Stock."

He reads the last phrase of the sub-section, as meaning that stock is to be exchanged for stock, with an adjustment when necessary of differences in the dividends accruing upon the two stocks.

The Board will remember that it has already been agreed :

1. That the National Debt Commissioners shall exercise their power of exchanging Consols for Land Stock up to a limit, in the first instance, of £5,000,000; and
2. that in order to promote the working of the Act; they should also exercise their power of buying Land Stock for cash from the Irish Land Commissioners, if those Commissioners have to discharge cash liabilities arising upon the sale of holdings.

These powers were given, because the Chancellor of the Exchequer is of opinion that to permanent holders, such as the National Debt Commissioners, Land Stock is at least as valuable as Consols, since that stock is equally secured in the last instance upon the Consolidated Fund, and will bear interest at $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum for at least 18 years after the interest on Consols has fallen to $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has been in communication with the Bank of Ireland on the subject, and he is able to report that they are willing to act as agents for the National Debt Commissioners and thus to assist holders of Guaranteed Land Stock in exchanging it for Consols in Ireland.

He has now to suggest how the exchange will best be effected.

Land Stock may be divided into two categories. 1. "Mature Stock," i.e., stock which carries the regular half yearly dividends; 2. "Immature stock," i.e., stock which has been issued in the interval between dividend days, and upon which interest at $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. and not dividend, is, by law, payable for the broken period between the day of such issue and the ensuing dividend day (i.e., the day from which dividend will first begin to accrue).

Land Stock carries dividends payable on the 1st January and 1st July, but Consols carry quarterly dividends payable on the 5th January, 5th April, 5th July, and 5th October; and consequently exchanges of the two stocks may involve an adjustment on account of dividend, which adjustment must be effected in cash.

The exchange will be made on the following principle:—One stock will be exchanged for an equal nominal amount of the other stock, and when the dividends accruing upon the one stock exceed the dividends accruing upon the other, the amount of such difference will be paid in cash.

It should be mentioned that the "Shutting days" (i.e., the days on which the approaching dividend ceases to be transferable with the stock) are for present purposes assumed to be the 1st March, 1st June, 1st September, and 1st December for Consols, and the 1st June and 1st December for Land Stock.*

1. *Mature Land Stock.*

If the exchange takes place in the three months beginning December 1st or June 1st, no adjustment will be necessary, because during those periods the dividends on the two stocks will be accruing pari passu.† But, if the Exchange takes place in the three months beginning March 1st or September 1st, the National Debt Commissioners, or the Bank of Ireland acting on their behalf, would pay to the holder of Land Stock the amount of three months' dividend; because on the next dividend day Land Stock will bear a six months' dividend, while Consols will only bear a quarter's dividend.

2. *Immature Land Stock.*

If the exchange takes place in the months of December or June no adjustment will be necessary, because during those months neither Consols nor Land Stock entitle the transferee to an accrued dividend.

If the exchange takes place between March and May inclusive, or between September and November inclusive, the holder of Land Stock will pay to the National Debt Commissioners, or the Bank of Ireland acting on their behalf, the amount of three months' dividend; because, as the interest on Land Stock remains with the seller thereof and does not go to the transferee, the Commissioners will receive no income in respect of Land Stock corresponding to the next quarterly dividends on Consols.

Similarly, if the exchange takes place in January or February, or in July or August, the holder of Land Stock will pay to the National Debt Commissioners the amount of six months' dividend, because the Commissioners will receive no income in respect of Land Stock corresponding to the next two quarterly dividends on Consols.

As Immature Land Stock bears no dividend, but interest, and as the interest is payable to the original allottee, the Chancellor of the Exchequer is prepared to recommend the National Debt Commissioners to accept an assignment of this interest, in order to avoid the necessity of a cash payment by the holder of Land Stock. If the cash due from him exceeds the amount of the interest, the assignment must be supplemented by a cash payment. If the interest exceeds the amount of the cash due, he will be able to assign a part of the interest and to retain the remainder.

* The Banks of England and Ireland have a discretionary power under the Act 55 & 56 Vict. c. 29, sheet fixing the "Shutting days," provided that day fall within 97 days preceding the dividend day. The above-mentioned days, however, represent with sufficient accuracy the days usually fixed.

† The small difference which is caused by the interval of four days between the dividend days of the two stocks is left out of account throughout in determining the conditions of exchange.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer proposes to arrange with the National Debt Commissioners that they should forthwith effect re-exchanges with the Bank of Ireland, when applied to, on precisely similar terms as those on which the exchanges are effected between the National Debt Commissioners or the Bank and the holder of Land Stock.

Whenever the National Debt Commissioners purchase Land Stock from the Irish Land Commissioners, the transaction will be carried out on similar lines, but it will be a wholly cash transaction—that is to say, the National Debt Commissioners will pay in cash the value of the Land Stock at the average price of the day for Consols as certified to them by the Bank of England; and in addition there will be the adjustment of dividend as in the case of exchanges of Stock.

My Lords approved. They append examples of the transactions.

Send copies of the Minute to the National Debt Commissioners, Bank of Ireland, Irish Land Commissioners, and Under Secretary for Ireland.

EXAMPLES.

1.—MATURE LAND STOCK.

			Exchange taking place in
(a.) No adjustment needed	£ s. d.		Dec. June Jan. July Feb. Aug.
£10,000 exchanged on January 20th, 1893.			
<i>Land Stock received by National Debt Commissioners.</i>		<i>Consols received by holder of Land Stock.</i>	
Six months' dividend payable on July 1st, 1893	137 10 0	Three months dividend payable on April 5th, 1893	£ s. d.
		Three months dividend payable on July 5th, 1893	68 15 0
			68 15 0
			£137 10 0
			Exchange taking place in
(b.) Adjustment needed by payment of three months dividend in cash	£ s. d.		March Sept. April Oct. May Nov.
£10,000 exchanged on April 20th, 1893.			
<i>Land Stock received by National Debt Commissioners.</i>		<i>Consols received by holder of Land Stock.</i>	
Six months dividend payable on July 1st, 1893	137 10 0	Three months dividend payable on July 5th, 1893	£ s. d.
		Difference to be paid in cash by the National Debt Commissioners to the owner of Land Stock	68 15 0
			68 15 0
			£137 10 0

2.—IMMATURE LAND STOCK.

			Exchange taking place in
(a.) No adjustment needed	£ s. d.		December or June
£10,000 exchanged on December 20th, 1892.			
<i>Land Stock received by National Debt Commissioners.</i>		<i>Consols received by holder of Land Stock.</i>	
Dividend payable on January 1st, 1893	nil.	Dividend payable to transferee on January 5th, 1893	£ s. d.
			nil.
[The original allottee of the Land Stock would on January 1st, 1893, receive interest on the Stock from date of issue to January 1st.]			
(b.) Adjustment needed by payment of three months dividend in cash	£ s. d.		March Sept. April Oct. May Nov.
£10,000 exchanged on October 20th, 1892.			
<i>Land Stock received by National Debt Commissioners.</i>		<i>Consols received by holder of Land Stock.</i>	
Dividend payable on January 1st, 1893	nil.	Dividend payable on January 5th, 1893	£ s. d.
Difference to be paid in cash by the holder of Land Stock to the National Debt Commissioners	68 15 0		68 15 0

[If the Land Stock were issued before October 1st, the interest payable to the original allottees on January 1st would be more than £68 15s. He may, if he chooses, assign interest to the amount of £68 15s. in lieu of paying that amount in cash. If the Land Stock were issued after October 1st, the interest would be less than £68 15s., and, if the interest be assigned in part payment, the remainder would have to be paid in cash.]

(c) Adjustment needed by payment of six months dividend in cash Jan. July
£10,000 exchanged on August 20th, 1893. { Feb. Aug.

Land Stock received by National Debt Commissioners. Consols received by holder of Land Stock.

	E. s. d.	E. s. d.
Dividend payable on January 1st, 1893 ¹	nil.	Dividend payable on October 5th, 1892 68 15 0
Difference to be paid in cash by the holder of Land Stock to the National Debt Commissioners	137 10 0	Dividend payable on January 5th, 1893 68 15 0
		£137 10 0

[The interest of the Land Stock payable to the original allottee on January 1st, cannot amount to more than £137 10s. He may assign such interest in part payment of the sum due from him, and would have to supplement it by payment of the difference in cash.]

TABLE XCV.

EXTRACT from MEMORANDUM issued by the LAND COMMISSION for the Information and Guidance of intending Tenant Purchasers.

It is provided by Treasury Rules that the rate of interest to be allowed on the Purchasers' Insurance Money shall be as nearly as may be equivalent to the average rate of interest earned on the investments of the National Debt Commissioners.

The exact rate of interest which will be allowed can, therefore, only be known at the time it is necessary to make the calculation in any particular case, and cannot be estimated in advance.

Assuming, however, that Tables were constructed on the basis that interest at the rate of £2 15s. per cent. was continuously allowed, the following examples may be taken to illustrate approximately the mode of repayment of loans.

Assuming the "annual value," viz.: the rent, after deducting taxes allowable by the landlord, is £50, the annuity at eighty per cent for not less than five years will be £40—

If the Number of Years Purchaser is	Advances.	Annuity £ per cent. on Advances.	Annual Striking Fund included in Annuity in Table Collected, £18 thereof.	Insurance per annum.	Total Capital paid at end of 18 Years.	Future Annuity at end of 18 years. ²
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
18	500	35	9	4	217	34 30 13
18	500	35	9	4	214	30 1 4
18	500	35	9	4	210	26 11 7
18	500	35	9	4	207	22 2 0

¹ If the tenant purchaser, after the first five years, or after the first eighteen years of the term, does not apply to have his annuity reduced in manner before mentioned, and continues to pay the higher annuity, the annuity will cease to be payable at an earlier period than the forty-nine years mentioned in the Act.

Thus, if the same figures are taken as before—Annual Value, £50; Annuity for first five years, £40—

Number of Years Purchaser, as before.	Advances.	Annuity £ per cent. of Annual Value.	Annuity £ per cent. on Advances.	Reduced term if £40 Annuity is paid continuously till Loan repaid.	Reduced term if £4 per cent. on the Advances is paid continuously after first 5 years till Loan is repaid.
	£	£	£		
18	500	35	35	36 years.	47 years.
18	500	35	35	32 *	44 *
18	500	35	35	28 *	41 *
18	500	35	35	24 *	37 *

² Treasury Tables have not yet been issued pursuant to sec. 8 (1) of the Act of 1891. The above Tables have not Treasury authority.

DUBLIN CASTLE,
15th June, 1893.

SIR

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this date, forwarding, for submission to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Report of the Irish Land Commissioners for the period from the 22nd August, 1891, to the 31st March last.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Signed), D. HARREL.

The Secretary,
Land Commission,
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Table XC.—Agricultural Statistics—continued.

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Diagram showing for the whole of England the rise and fall in the Average Prices of certain Farm Commodities. Prices are from year to year, from 1873 to 1893, inclusive, and from month to month for the quarter ending 31st March, 1893.

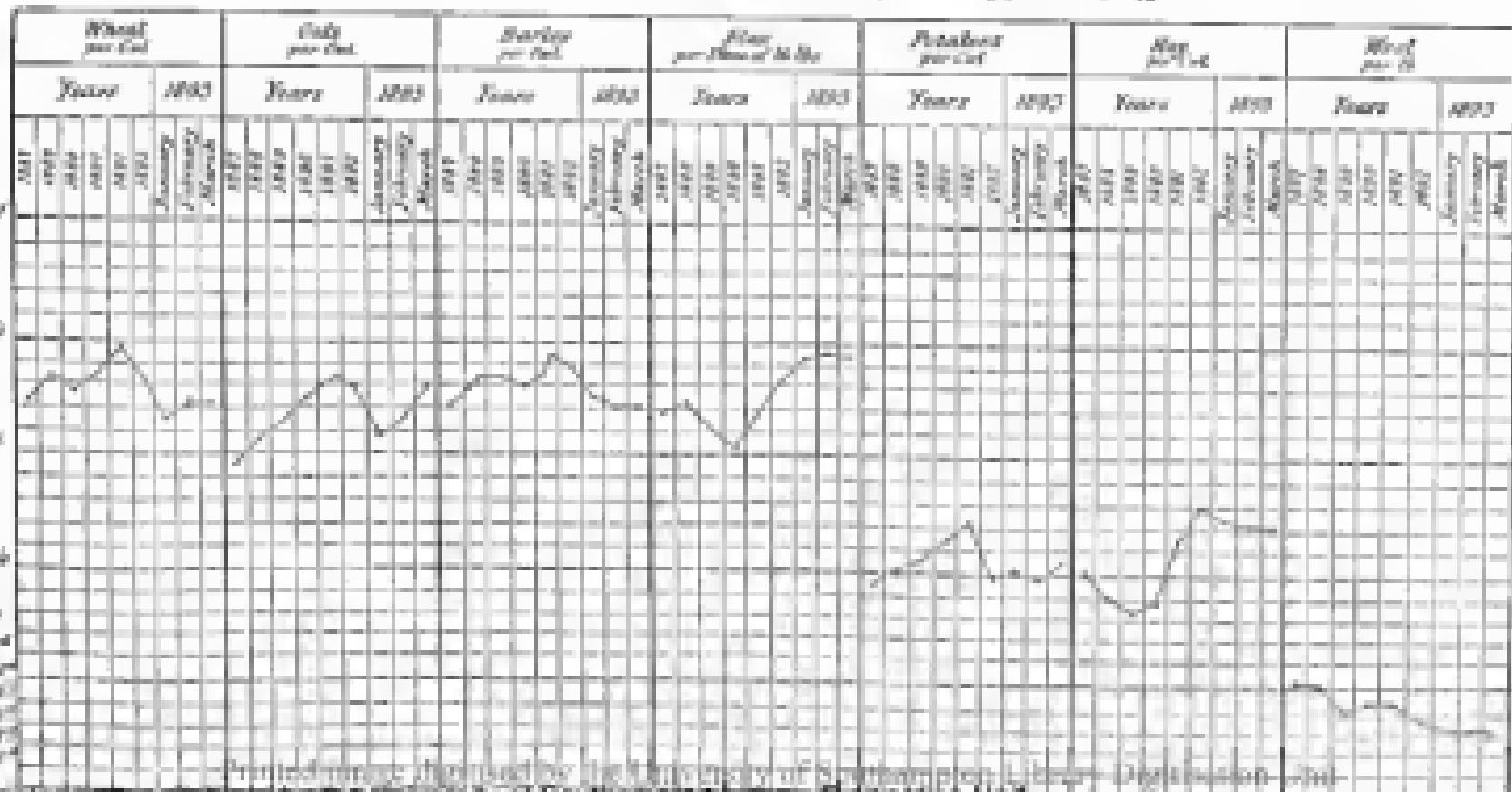


TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—continued.

(9) DIAGRAM showing for the whole of Ireland the rise and fall in the AVERAGE PRICES of IRISH STORE CATTLE from year to year, from 1887 to 1892, inclusive, and from month to month for the quarter ending 31st March, 1893.

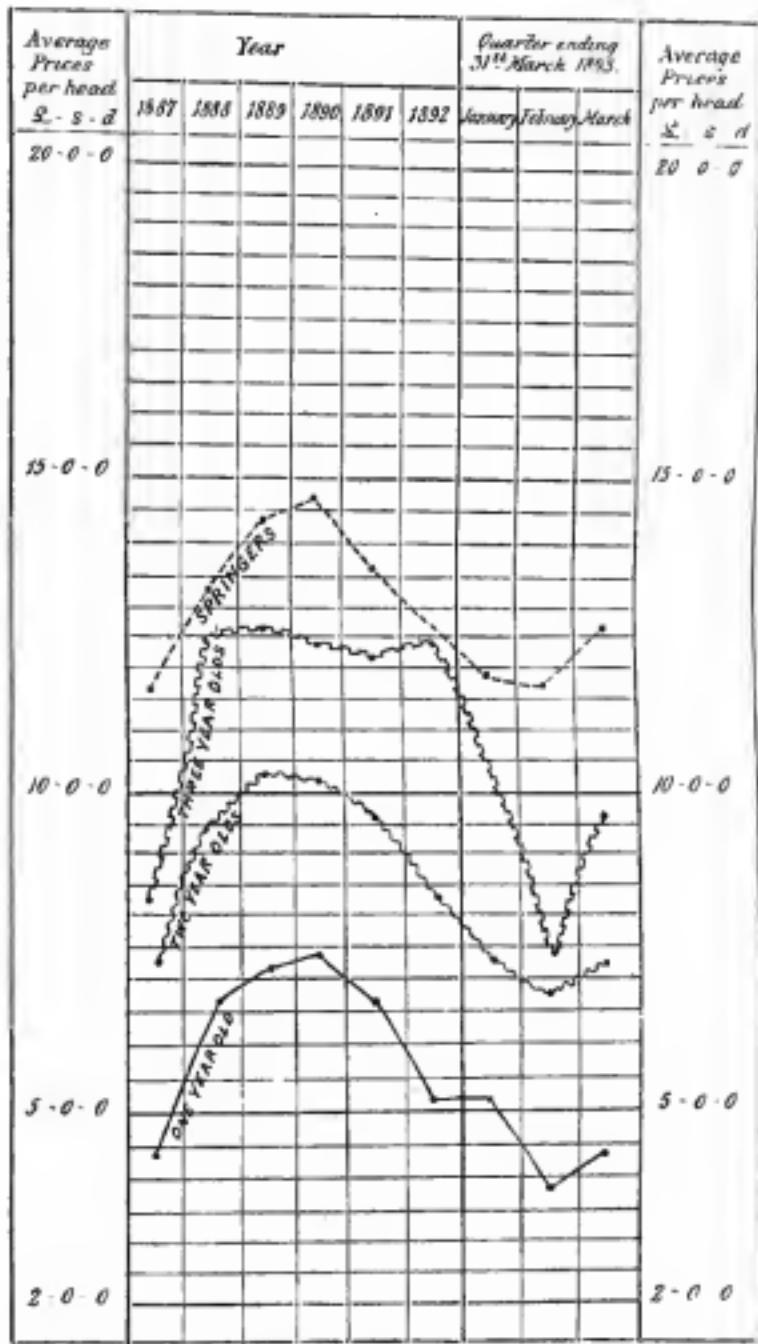
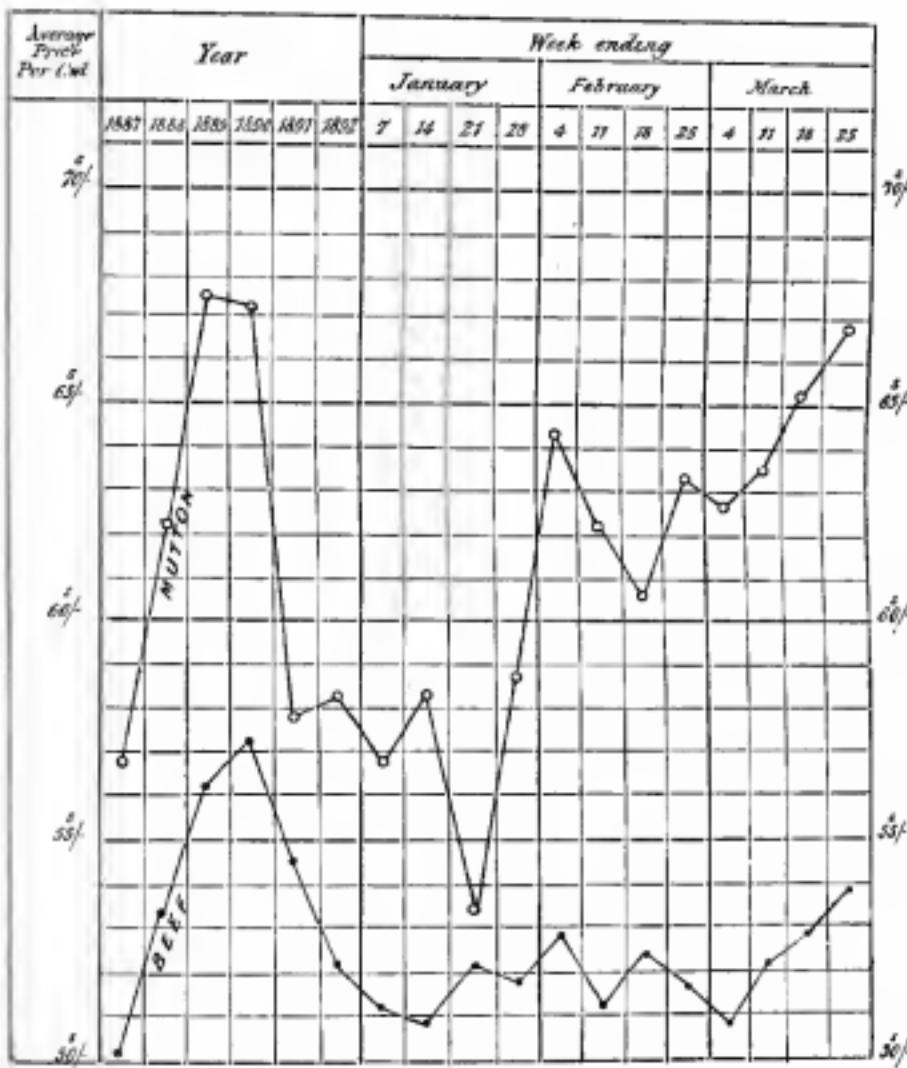


TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—*continued*.

(h)

DIAGRAM showing the rise and fall in the AVERAGE PRICES per cwt. of BEEF and MUTTON sold in the Dublin Fat Stock Market, being Irish Produce, from year to year, from 1887 to 1892, inclusive, and from month to month for the quarter ending 31st March, 1893.



(i)

TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—*continued*.

DIAGRAM showing for the whole of Ireland the rise and fall in the AVERAGE PRICES per cwt. of BUTTER and PORK, being Irish Produce, from year to year, from 1887 to 1892, inclusive, and from month to month for the quarter ending 31st March, 1893.

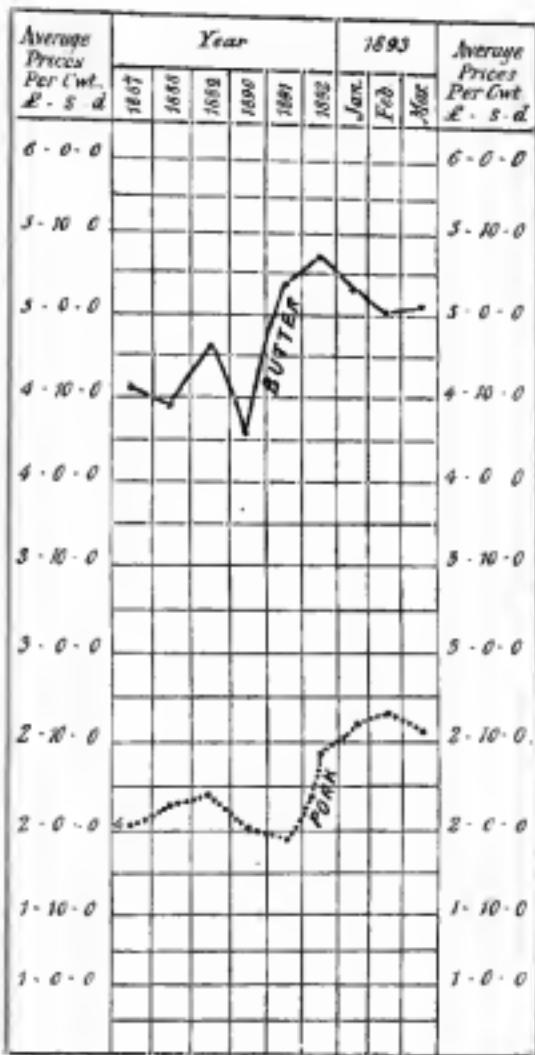
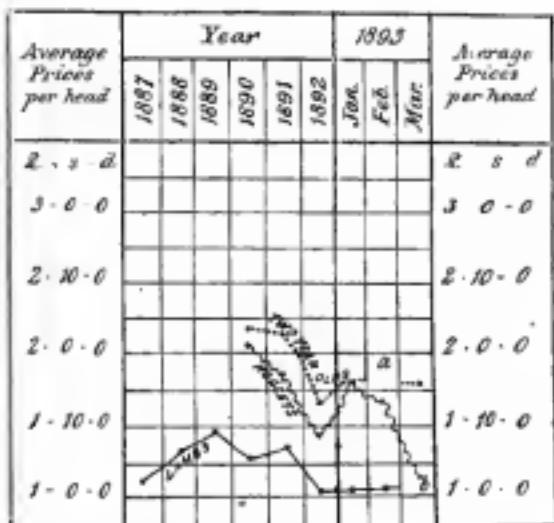


TABLE XC.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—continued.

(k) DIAGRAM showing for the whole of Ireland the rise and fall in the AVERAGE PRICES of IRISH STORE SHEEP from year to year, from 1887 to 1892, inclusive, and from month to month for the quarter ending 31st March, 1893.



a. Two year olds not quoted February 1893.

b. Lambs not quoted March 1893.